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HOLLWEG ENDEAVORS TO GET CLEAR IDEA OF AMERICAN POLICY

Was to Confer With Gerard Again Last Evening Before Returning to Grand Headquarters.

HOPE IS NOT ABANDONED

So Far as Germany is Concerned, There Still Remains Possibility of Settlement.

WHAT DOES AMERICA WANT?

This is Question Germans Want to Know Before Replying.

Berlin, via London, April 25. — The American ambassador, James W. Gerard, is to have another conference with Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg this evening, prior to the imperial chancellor's departure for great headquarters.

At the foreign office the correspondents were informed that the chancellor was devoting the holidays to conferences on the submarine issue with the departments concerned. These have not yet been concluded.

Wants Clear Idea

The main purpose of the imperial chancellor's flying trip to Berlin has been, as is evident from his protracted conference with Ambassador Gerard, on Monday, the desire to obtain as clear an idea as possible of the attitude and policy of the American government, what, if anything lies behind and beyond the American note and what measures are necessary to satisfy the American demand, before the momentous decision is taken by the emperor and his advisers at headquarters.

The crisis has come to a head in the midst of the Easter holidays—a season playing a highly important role in German life—when public men are widely scattered from Berlin, and their views, which the emperor would naturally like to ascertain before reaching a decision, not quickly assembled. Thus the formulation of a reply to American note, which presumably would spell peace or war, cannot be rushed.

Hope Not Abandoned.

So far as Germany is concerned, there is still a possibility of a settlement, and hope has not been abandoned here. But the Germans, as is apparant from many conversations with the Associated Press has had with prominent men since the beginning of the crisis, wish to know before giving their answer, what sort of answer would satisfy the United States, whether assurances of a properly conducted submarine campaign would be adequate, and whether concessions now would be the prelude to further demands later.

It can be stated positively that Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg and his advisers realize fully the disadvantages of a break with the United States and that they do not desire it if it can be avoided. But they feel, if a break must come ultimately, it would be useless to indulge in concessions and compromises now, and that they might as well have the matter settled.

Ambassador Gerard conferred on Monday with the imperial chancellor alone, none of the chancellor's advisers participating in the interview. He was able to give the chancellor little positive or authoritative information on the limits of the American policy, beyond the notes themselves, but the Washington policy, so far as it was indicated in the various notes to Germany, it is understood, was discussed lengthily and possible solutions to the questions which have given rise to the crisis were considered in this long and confidential interview, concerning which the ambassador naturally declined to talk.

Mr. Gerard immediately cabled a long account of the conversation to Secretary Lansing and the feeling here is that if it were possible to obtain an answer from Washington before the German council is concluded and a decision adopted, it might aid materially in the solution. There is little expectation of that, however.

Gloom Somewhat Dismissed.

There has been a distinctly better atmosphere in Berlin of late. Following the publication of the American note an air of gloom prevailed and many men spoke of a rupture as inevitable. The word now is that a settlement is within the reach of possibility and although it would be wrong to use the word optimism, at least the spirit of pessimism has notably abated, and everywhere one hears the query: "What does America want; can we satisfy President Wilson without abandoning the submarine campaign, or does he want to prevent us from winninb the war?"

During the crisis there has been an utter absence of unfriendly demonstrations against Americans. The down town streets for three days have been jammed with holiday crowds but there has not been the slightest intimation to organize a demonstration against the American embassy or even of popular curiosity regarding the doings there and the big square between the embassy and the chancellor's palace has been left to the undisturbed and lazy tenacity of one policeman and one "plainclothes man" who for months have been posted before the embassy.

GERARD'S DISPATCHES ONLY QUOTED THE GERMAN PRESS

Washington, April 25.—Secretary Lansing in a conference today with

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DUBLIN SCENE OF SERIOUS FIGHTING

Irish Mob Started Trouble Monday by Seizing Public Places Near Center of the City.

NUMBER KILLED IN FIGHT

Official Statement Says Regular Troops Reinforced by Loyal Volunteers Have the Situation Well In Hand

London, April 25.—Dublin has been the scene of serious fighting between members of the Sinn Fein Society and regular troops, reinforced by loyal volunteers. The loyalists lost about a dozen men killed and 19 wounded. The casualties of the rioters have not been ascertained. Many of the disturbers were arrested.

The trouble started at noon Monday in the center of Dublin, when a mob seized the Stephens Green, a large park near the Royal University; the postoffices, where telegraph and telephone wires were cut, and houses in various parts of the town.

Troops from the Curragh and loyal volunteers were hastily summoned and fighting between them and the mob began almost immediately.

An official communication concerning the disturbance was issued this evening. It says:

"At noon yesterday serious disturbances broke out in Dublin. A large party of men identified with the Sinn Fein party, mostly armed, occupied Stephens Green and took possession forcibly of the postoffice where they cut the telegraphic and telephonic wires. Houses also were occupied in Stephen Green, Sackville street, Abbey streets and along the quays.

"In the course of the day, soldiers arrived from the Curragh and the situation is now well in hand. So far as is known here, three military officers, four or five soldiers, two loyal volunteers and two policemen have been killed and four or five military officers and seven or eight soldiers and six volunteers wounded. No exact information has been received of the casualties on the side of the Sinn Feiners.

"Reports received from Cork, Limerick, Ennis, Tralee and both Ridings and Tipperary show that no disturbances of any kind have occurred in these localities."

The first announcement of the trouble was made in the house of commons by Austine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, who said that the situation was well in hand, but that communication with Dublin was still difficult

RECORD EARNINGS FOR UNITED STATES STEEL

Were Made During First Quarter of the Present Year.

Total Amounted to $60,713,624, Net Income to $51,218,559, and Surplus for the Quarter to $32,854,172—Orders Booked Far Ahead.

New York, April 25. — All previous records for earnings by the United States Steel Corporation were surpassed in the first quarter of the present year, according to the detailed statement for that period, issued after the close of business today. Total earnings amounted to $60,713,624; net income to $51,218,559, and surplus for the quarter to $32,854,172. These figures compare with the previous high record, made in the quarter immediately preceding of $51,232,788 in earnings, $40,853,113 in net income, $23,300,692 in surplus. The most remarkable feature of the statement was the steady rise in monthly earnings with the progress of the quarterly period. For January, earnings amounted to $18,794,912, swelling to $19,196,396 for the shorter month of February, and amounting to $22,722,316 in March. Earnings in March were almost twice as much as the preferred and common dividend requirements for the entire quarter.

Contrary to expectation in many quarters the directors not only failed to order an extra disbursement on the common stock, but, according to chairman E. H. Gary, the subject was not even informally discussed. The current month is expected to show earnings of $25,000,000, with a total of not less than $70,000,000 for the second quarter.

The United States Steel Corporation, it is understood, is almost fully booked for the balance of 1916, and has taken many large contracts for delivery in the coming year. Prices for the business of the first and succeeding quarters of the year are at the highest averages of recent years, and, in some instances, establish new records.

GERMAN WARSHIPS RAID THE EASTERN COAST OF ENGLAND

Squadron of Battle Cruisers Makes Escape After Bombarding the City of Lowestoft.

THREE BRITISH SHIPS HIT

Two Men, Woman and Child Killed—Infantry Fighting Only in the Lorraine Region.

A revoluntionary outbreak in Ireland, in which British troops and volunteers sustained relatively heavy casualties, and a raid by a German battle cruiser squadron on the east coast of England, in which the raiders escaped after having bombarded Lowestoft and hit two British cruisers and a destroyer, are the outstanding features of the war.

So far as has been made public, the revolution in Ireland has not extended beyond Dublin, where members of the Sinn Fein Society on Monday captured the postoffice and other points in Dublin and in fighting which ensued with the troops and loyalists killed at least 11 of the city's defenders and wounded nearly a score of others. What the losses of the revolutionists were has not been stated. The British government asserts that the situation in Dublin now is well in hand.

The German battle cruiser squadron made its attack on Lowestoft, opening fire on the coast and killing two men, one woman and a child. British light cruisers, torpedo boat destroyers and aircraft chased the Germans, who put back hastily toward Germany. Two British cruisers and a destroyer were hit by German shells, but none was sunk. Whether the Germans suffered any damage is not known.

Except in Lorraine there has been an entire absence of infantry fighting on the western front. The big guns, however, have continued their rain of shells on opposing positions at various points.

At LaChapelotte, in Lorraine, the Germans launched a heavy infantry attack against the French, which was repulsed. Some of the Germans obtained a footing in a portion of the French salient, but later were driven out with heavy losses.

Around Hill 304 and in the region of Esnes and Cumieres, northwest of Verdun, the bombardment continues intense. To the east of Verdun, around Moulainville, there also has been a violent bombardment. In the Argonne the French have destroyed with their guns a German post and shattered a German trench over a small front. Considerable aerial activity by the French airmen, in which four German machines were brought down, is reported by Paris.

On the eastern front near Garbunovka the Russians made a heavy attack against the Germans, but, according to Berlin, were repulsed with sanguinary losses. Heavy artillery engagements are still in progress in the upper Cordevole and Monte San Michele zones of the Austro-Italian front.

The British official communication from Mesopotamia says the British are still holding their lines on the right bank of the Tigris against the Turks and have somewhat extended them at one point by driving in the Turkish pickets.

MORE RUSSIAN SOLDIERS HAVE LANDED IN FRANCE.

Maiseilles, April 25.—Marseilles was again the center of tremendous enthusiasm today as another contingent of Russian troops arrived. Great crowds gathered at the quay to witness their disembarkation.

Russians lined the decks of the transports returning the cheers from the crowds massed along the shore, while the flotilla of warships and merchantmen in the harbor saluted with flags and salvos of booming cannon. A regiment of French Hussars acted as guard of honor, the French bands playing the Russian national hymn to which the Russian bands responded with the Maiseillaise.

SCOTT AND FUNSTON READY TO LEAVE FOR CONFERENCE

San Antonio, Texas, April 25.—Generals Scott and Funston arranged today to leave tomorrow night for El Paso to discuss with General Alvaro Obregon, secretary of war in the de facto government cabinet, the situation created by the presence of American troops in Mexico.

Whether General Obregon, who reached San Luis Potosi today on his way north, will go to Juarez, opposite El Paso, or to some other point on the border, has not been definitely stated, and late today the War Department was requested to ascertain and advise General Scott when the conference would take place.

OPPOSE CONFERENCE BEING HELD AT JUAREZ OR EL PASO

El Paso, Texas, April 25. — Mexican officials in Juarez, it was learned tonight, may make recommendations to General Carranza asking that the conference between Brigadier General Scott and General Obregon be held at some other point than Juarez and El Paso.

This move, if it is made, will be based on the strong interventionist feeling which exists here and in the fear that influences adverse to the de facto government might be brought to bear on the conferees.

There is no question that the interventionists are strong in El Paso. The feeling is intensified by the presence here of a large number of American refugees who have been reduced to poverty through being forced to abandon the business they had built up in Mexico. In addition there is a large and

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CONTENDS ALLIES ARE OBEYING LAW

British Note Says Interferences With Shipping Are Judicially Sound and Valid.

REPLY TO AMERICAN NOTE

Attempt Is Made to Answer the Contentions of the United States—Further Negotiations Expected to Follow.

Washington, April 25.—The latest British note in answer to American protests against allied interferences with neutral trade, made public tonight at the State Department, contends that the practices complained of are "judicially sound and valid" and that the relief which neutrals seek is rather to be obtained by the militigation of necessary hardships than by "abrupt changes either in the theory or application of a policy based upon admitted principles of international law carefully adjusted to the altered conditions of modern warfare."

It discloses that "an impartial and influential commission" has been appointed to find ways to minimize delays and pledge the Allies to make their restraints on trade as little burdensome to neutrals as possible.

The note, in which the French government concurs, reiterates the military necessity of regulating commerce to neutrals contiguous to Germany and justifies the effectiveness of the blockade which was challenged by the last American note. More diplomatic correspondence over the issue is expected to follow.

The unanimity of sentiment among the world's neutrals for the protection of neutral rights is recognized in the British note, which refers to the subject in terms embracing not the rights of trade alone. It says in conclusion:

"His majesty's government have noted with sincere satisfaction the intimation contained in the concluding passages of the United States note, of the intention of the United States to undertake the task of championing the integrity of neutral rights.

"The first act of this war was the unprovoked invasion by the enemy of neutral territory—that of Belgium—which he was solemnly pledged by treaty to protect. * * *

Welcomes Neutral Regulation.

"The disregard of neutral rights has since been extended to naval warfare by the wanton destruction of neutral merchant ships on the high seas regardless of the lives of those on board. * * * His majesty's government would welcome any combination of neutral nations under the lead of the United States which would exert an effective influence to prevent the violation of neutral rights, and they cannot believe that they or their allies have much to fear from any combination for the protection of those rights which takes an impartial and comprehensive view of the conduct of this war and judges it by a reasonable interpretation of the generally accepted provisions of international law, and by the rules of humanity that have hitherto been approved by the civilized world."

At the outset the note suggests that the American complaint is not so much that shipments intercepted really were intended for use in the European neutral countries, to which they were despatched as that the dispatch of goods to Great Britain's enemies had been frustrated by methods not hitherto employed by belligerents. It adds that new devices for dispatching goods to the enemy must be met by new methods of applying the fundamental and acknowledged principle of the right to intercept such trade.

Search of Sea Effective.

At some length the note argues the impossibility of making searches at sea and cites a report from Admiral Sir John Jellico, commander of the grand fleet, based upon his experiences of 18 months, which is included. This report concludes by saying:

"The difference between the British and the German procedure is that we have acted in the way which caused the least discomfort to neutrals. Instead of sinking neutral ships engaged in trade with the enemy as the Germans have done in so many cases, in direct contravention of their own prize regulation * * * we examine them, giving as little inconvenience as modern naval conditions will allow, sending them into port only where this becomes necessary."

The note adds that a further reason for bringing ships into harbor is the necessity for close examination of all suspected persons, made necessary by the "German practice of misusing United States passports to procure a safe conduct for military persons and agents."

Discussing at great length the question of proofs of the destination of contraband, it says:

"What is essential is to determine whether or not the goods were on their way to the enemy. If they were, a belligerent is entitled to detain them and having regard to the nature of the

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE

Met at noon.

Senator Shafroth urged equal suffrage amendment to the constitution.

Resumed debate on rural credits bill.

Adjourned at 5:30 to noon Wednesday.

HOUSE.

Met at 11 a. m.

Democratic caucus on the Philippine bill called for tomorrow.

Sent army bill to conference.

Continued debate on agricultural appropriation bill.

Adjourned at 5:30 p. m. to noon Wednesday.

HUNDREDS MOVED TO TAKE DEFINITE STAND FOR CHRIST

By Dr. Chapman's Direct and Strongly Worded Appeal Last Night at Tabernacle.

TWO DELEGATIONS RESPOND

Members of Local Bar and of Wilmington Light Infantry Attend in a Body.

At the close of Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman's sermon last night at the Tabernacle for the Chapman-Alexander meetings in Wilmington, and in response to a direct appeal for decisions for Christ and renewal of pledges heretofore made, more than 200 persons came forward and took the evangelist by the hand. Among those who came forward were the members of the Wilmington Light Infantry and the members of the Wilmington bar, both of which organizations attended the services in a body.

Indulging in no generalities, Dr. Chapman made his appeal to the individual members of the audience that they take a stand for Christ. His text, a singularly impressive one, was: "I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore, choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live." Deutoronomy 30:19.

His appeal and invitation was closed with practically the same words, "I call on heaven to record against you that I have set before you life and death. Which will you choose?"

At last night's service, the choir under the masterful leadership of Mr. Charles M. Alexander, was undoubtedly largely responsible for the large number of persons who came forward at the close of Dr. Chapman's sermon, signifying that they were either taking a definite stand for Christ, or were renewing pledges already made to live as Christians.

The song leader introduced a new note and a decidedly pleasing one in the musical programme by having the people in the colored section sing alone one verse of "Alas! And Did My Saviour Bleed".

Requests for Prayer.

Special requests for prayer last night included the following: "For a soldier boy in the trenches in France, whose father lives here," "Two Wilmington boys who are with General Pershing in Mexico." "The soldiers at Fort Caswell, who guard the entrance to the Cape Fear."

Selections rendered last night by the choir and congregation under the leadership of Mr. Alexander included, "Carry Your Bible," "Onward Christian Soldiers," which was sung as the members of the Wilmington Light Infantry marched in, and "Ivory Palaces." Mr. Albert Brown sang for the first time, "But I Know He Has Redeemed Me." His rendition of this beautiful song was a sermon in itself.

The Delegations.

Delegations last night, all of which were large in point of numbers, included the following: The Wilmington Light Infantry, residents of Clarkton, the first delegation from out of town; the Woodcraft boys and girls, and the Boy Scouts from the Southside Baptist church. The delegations were each asked to stand in succession and were welcomed by Dr. Chapman who thanked the members of each organization for their interest in the meetings and besought their sympathy and help in making them a success.

Tonight at the service which begins at 7:30 o'clock there will be a number of delegations as follows: Men from Delgado; residents of the suburban sections; Odd Fellows; Junior Order of American Mechanics, and a delegation of members from the First Baptist church, who are to meet in the Sunday school rooms of the church at 7:20 o'clock.

During the course of the service, in response to invitations from Dr. Chapman, many of those in the great audience, which left few vacant seats in the big building, lifted their hands and asked that they be prayed for.

Afternoon Service Today.

Dr. Chapman's sermon this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock will be especially for mothers. The day will be especially observed as "Mothers' Day", and Dr. Chapman asks that every one wear a white flower as a tribute to his or her mother, preferably a carnation. Everybody is invited to attend the services this afternoon.

Rev. Dr. W. H. Milton announced that Dr. Chapman is especially anxious that the afternoon meetings should be largely attended, and declared that he was sure all Christian people as well as others would derive much benefit from attendance at tomorrow afternoon's meeting, when Dr. Chapman will preach on "The Second Mile." Yesterday afternoon Dr. Chapman preached to a large audience at the Tabernacle on the subject, "The Love of the Spirit."

At the close of the song service last night, Mrs. Charles M. Alexander explained the object of the Pocket Testament League and appealed to those in attendance to enlist in the work of the league. Each member, she pointed out, is asked to take the following pledge: "I hereby accept membership in the Pocket Testament League by making it the rule of my life to read at least one chapter in the Bible every day, and to carry a Testament wherever I go."

The Evening Sermon.

"Choose Life," was the subject of the sermon by Dr. Chapman for the evening service. His text was from

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DEMOCRATS IN HOUSE EXERCISE AUTHORITY AND OVER-RIDE MANN

OBREGON EXPECTED WITHIN FEW DAYS

May Reach Border by Thursday at Least for Conference with Scott and Funston.

SNIPER KILLS AN AMERICAN

Troops Have Supplies Sufficient to Last Until May 15—Much Speculation as to purpose of Forthcoming Conference.

Washington, April 27.—General Alvaro B. Obregon, minister of war of the Mexican de facto government, is expected to arrive at the border for his conference with Major General Scott by Thursday night at the latest. General Scott will be attended at the conference by Major General Funston and it is understood General Obregon will bring with him several Carranza generals personally familiar with the situation in north Mexico.

There were no developments here today either in the military or diplomatic aspects of the Mexican situation. General Funston forwarded delayed message telling of the killing of a trooper of the Tenth cavalry by a sniper nearly two weeks ago but giving no details.

The State Department had reports of continued quiet in various parts of Mexico and also messages indicating that the presence of American troops beyond the border might be influencing the price of Carranza currency adversely. Officials thought it possible this was one of the reasons that impelled Carranza to urge withdrawal of the American forces. It was pointed out that while the soldiers remained in Mexico it was improbable that any loan could be negotiated by the de facto government and that their presence also cast enough doubt on the immediate future there to depress exchange rates. Last quotations fixed the price of Carranza money at one and one-half cents on the dollar.

Supplies are Plentiful.

It was announced officially today that the forces in Mexico have provisions on hand to carry them up to May 15 at least. In addition the lines of supply are so well established that every emergency can be met promptly. It is understood also that arrangements have been completed to supply the cavalry commands beyond the border with additional amounts during the period of recuperation which is to follow the redisposition of the American forces.

There will be no further developments in the situation until after the conference between Generals Scott and Obregon unless the troops are attacked. The whole matter of the pursuit of Villa or withdrawal of the American troops is at a complete standstill temporarily.

There is much speculation as to just

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PROTEST AGAINST ANY BREAK WITH GERMANY

Thousands of Telegrams Are Delivered to Senators.

American Embargo Conference, a German-American Organization, Financing Movement, Which is to be Nation-Wide.

Washington, April 25.—More than 25,000 telegrams were delivered last night and today at the Senate office building, all protesting against any action which might mean war with Germany. Senators Sherman and Lewis, of Illinois, received most of the messages, but senators from Iowa, Wisconsin and Missouri were also deluged with them.

The telegrams were signed by individuals but they followed prepared forms and were all prepaid. Whether they will be presented to the Senate has not been decided by the recipients.

SAYS IT IS A CAMPAIGN OF AMERICANS FOR PEACE.

Chicago, April 25.—G. H. Jacobson, one of the leaders of the American Embargo Conference, in Chicago, said today the campaign to send telegrams advocating peace was country-wide and that the conference with its 3,000 branches in as many towns in the country is financing it. The expense, he said, is paid by voluntary subscriptions.

"It is not a campaign of Germans but of Americans who do not want war with my country," said Mr. Jacobson. "We have reports showing that 15,000 telegrams will be sent from Cincinnati; 25,000 from St. Louis; 25,000 from Detroit; 10,000 from Toledo; 15,000 from St. Paul and Minneapolis and many thousands will be sent from Chicago.

"C. J. Hexamer, of Philadelphia, president of the Germ[illegible]

Defeat Minority Leader's Efforts to Keep Army Bill From Going to Conference.

MOTION TO RE-COMMIT LOST

Conferees of Both Houses Will Meet Today to Work Out Final Draft of the Bill.

MEASURE IS NOT AMENDED

Representative London, Socialist, Recognized as Minority.

Washington, April 25.—Democratic leaders in the House today finally defeated the efforts of Minority Leader Mann to prevent the Army bill from going to conference unamended, and the conference of both houses, appointed later, will meet tomorrow to work out a final draft of the first great preparedness measure.

A special rule, adopted after brief debate, permitted one motion to recommit the bill, but most of the Republicans resenting Speaker Clark's recognition of Representative London, Socialist, to make the motion, declined to vote on the proposition, and it was defeated, 248 to 1.

Senate Selects "Big Army" Men.

When the Senate conferees were announced, there was much comment on the fact that all "big army" men had been named. Senator Hitchcock, second majority member of the Military committee ana opposed to a large standing army, was not on the list. The conferees are Senators Chamberlain, Beckham, Broussard, Dupont and Warren, and Representatives Hay, of Virginia; Dent, of Alabama, and Kahn, of California.

For almost a week Representative Mann had led a fight in the House against sending the measure to conference. He insisted upon having it re-committed to the Military committee with instructions to strike out the provision for a nitrate plant and to insert the provisions of the Senate bill for a 250,000 standing army and a Federal volunteer force.

Nitrate Plant Proposal Attacked.

During the discussion on the rule today, Mr. Mann contended that a regular army of at least 250,000 would be needed for first line defense if the country were drawn into war. The nitrate plant proposal was attacked by Representatives Lenroot, of Wisconsin, and Longworth, of Ohio, who declared it was placed in the bill at the behest of the "waterpower lobby." Representative Hay replied that the conferees never would agree to this provision until ordered to do so by the House. Prolonged applause followed.

When an overwhelming majority had sustained the rules, Representative Kahn moved to re-commit and strike out all of the Senate amendments except that relating to increasing the army to 250,000. Simultaneously Representative London, of New York, opposing all military and naval increases,, offered an unqualified motion to re-commit. A long parliamentary wrangle over who should be recognized followed and the Republicans, guessing that Representative London would be the favored one because he had voted against the original House bill, while Representative Kahn had not, threw Representative Britten, of Illinois, a Republican who stood alone with London against the original bill, into the breach with a motion to recommit. The right to make such a motion, Republican leaders contended, belonged by tradition to the minority.

Recognition of London Resented.

"The gentleman from New York is a minority in himself and he is recognized," the speaker ruled, while Republicans stood up and shouted objections. Mr. Mann declared it was a Democratic trick and motioned the Republicans to remain in their seats when the vote on the motion was taken.

Tonight some of the Republicans expressed concern over the recognition of one member as a minority and over what the precedent might result in if Mr. London attempted to make the most of his power in the future.

Aside from the difference in authorized strength of the regular army, the House and Senate bills are dissimilar in other important respects. The Senate Federal volunteer army plan, authorizing a force with an ultimate strength of 260,000 men, has been vigorously opposed by friends of the National Guard in both houses. It was retained in the bill by so narrow a margin in the Senate that its friends admit that its value will be chiefly for trading purposes in conference.

Difference Over Federalization.

Another difference is in the size of the Federalized National Guard proposed and the method of Federalization. The House bill contemplates 425,000 National Guard strength within five years and also provides that members of the Nat[illegible]

ASSOCIATED PRESS HAS ANNUAL MEET

Eulogies Paid Messrs. Nelson, Knapp and Ridder, Who Have Died During the Year.

NEW DIRECTORS ELECTED

In Toast at Banquet by President Noyes the Sympathy and Support of the Organization Was Tendered President Wilson.

New York, April 25. — At the annual meeting of the Associated Press, held here today, the following directors were elected:

Charles A. Rook, Pittsburg (Pa.) Dispatch; Charles Hopkins Clark, Hartford (Conn.) Courant; Clark Howell, Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution; V. S. McClatchy, Sacramento (Cal.) Bee; Elbert H. Baker, Cleveland Plain Dealer; Oswald Garrison Villard, New York Evening Post.

Resolutions were adopted at the afternoon meeting, expressing regret because of the deaths of three former directors—Colonel William R. Nelson, publisher of the Kansas City(Mo.) Star; Charles W. Knapp, treasurer, of the New York Times, and Herman Ridder, publisher of the New York Staats Zeitung.

The first of these memorials declared that "We attest our sense of the service Colonel Nelson rendered to his profession, to the city and state in which he lived, and to the whole country during his long and successful career as an editor and publisher." The memorial declared further that "We know that he made a newspaper that was big enough to make and shape the development of the community for which it was published, that it was the exemplar of the best and highest standards of journalism and we know as well that his newspaper was in every characteristic feature merely a material embodiments of the man who was its owner and director."

The resolution eulogizing Mr. Knapp alluded to his "sterling integrity, superior intelligence, judicial temperament and high purpose, in every phase of the responsibility, attached to his work in connection with the Associated Press. It was declared that his long and faithful activity in the development and maintenance of an impartial and accurate method for the collection and distribution of information, deserves the gratitude of every citizen of the country."

Mr. Ridder was alluded to as "One of the most efficient and zealous participants in the work of establishing" The Associated Press, and it was declared that during his long continuance of service as a director, "he brought to the duties of the office great earnestness in meeting his obligations," contributing in no small measure "to the success of the organization and thus "rendering to the country an important public service," while "his genial qualities made his conferees his personal friends."

GERMAN WARSHIPS RAID THE EASTTRN COAST OF ENGLAND

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powerful element composed of heads of big mining concerns in Mexico who have been compelled to close down their plants since a year or more ago, and who are almost unanimously in favor of intervention.

ATTACK OF THE GERMAN CRUISERS QUICKLY STOPPED

London, April 26.—The British war office today announced that "about 4:30 o'clock this morning the German cruiser squadron accompanied by light cruisers and destroyers, appeared off Lowestoft. The local naval forces engaged it and in about 20 minutes it returned to Germany, chased by our light cruisers and destroyers."

"On shore two men, one woman and a child were killed," said the statement. The material damage seems to have been insignificant so far as is known at present. Two British light cruisers and a destroyer were hit, but none was sunk.

RAID OVER ESSEX AND KENT COUNTIES TUESDAY NIGHT

London, April 26.—Hostile airships raided the counties of Essex and Kent Tuesday night, according to an official statement.

"The number of the raiders is uncertain," the communication adds, "but they did not exceed four. The raiders were met by a brisk anti-aircraft gun fire and retreated after achieving little or nothing."

PARLIAMENT IN SECRET SESSION DRAWS BIG CROWD

London, April 25. — The most crowded house since the war began was drawn to Westminster Palace today by the excitement attending the first secret session of Parliament since the war began, coupled with the news of various stirring incidents. At the closed session the members of Parliament received confidention information regarding the number of men who have enlisted, in accordance with the compromise reached in the ministerial crisis over recruiting last week.

TESTIFY FOR RAILROADS

Tentative Programme of Inter-Mountain Rate Advocates is Upset.

Washington, April 25.—Shippers of trans-continental freight upset the tentative programme today of the inter-mountain rate hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission with the introduction of seven unexpected witnesses, and the promise that more would follow tomorrow. All the witnesses sided with the railroads in opposing changes in rates.

C. H. Kimmick, of Charleston, S. C., asserted that a change in rates on canned goods from California by way of Galveston would result in great diminution of shipments to the Atlantic coast, affecting growers, railroads and dealers.

BELL-ANS

ROOSEVELT GETS ONLY SLIGHT ENDORSEMENT

Burton and Wilson Choice of the Two Parties in Ohio

Frank S. Monnett, Democratic Candidate for Delegate at Large, and Opposed to Wilson, is Overwhelmingly Defeated.

Columbus, Ohio, April 25. — Early indications tonight were that the three anti-slate candidates for delegates to the Republican National convention had been defeated, 2 to 1, in the Ohio presidential preferential primaries today.

For the presidentianl nominations, Republicans voted predominantly for Theodore E. Burton and Democrats for President Wilson. Theodore Roosevelt received only slight endorsement of voters who wrote his name on the ballot. Henry Ford also got a few votes, on both Democratic and Republican ballots under the same circumstance.

Indications were that only one-fourth of the voters went to the polls. Senator Warren G. Harding and Governor Frank B. Willis led the ticket for Republican delegates.

ANOTHER ROOSEVELT JOLT BY NEW JERSEY REPUBLICANS

Trenton, N. J., April 25. — Returns from the primary election in New Jersey for presidential delegates today indicate that, in contests in the Republican party between delegates pledged to Colonel Theodore Roosevelt and those preferring to go to the Chicago convention unpledged, the unpledged candidates were successful. There was no opposition in the Democratic party to delegates favorable to the re-nomination of President Wilson.

MASSACHUSETTS REPUBLICANS GO TO CHICAGO UNINSTRUCTED

Boston, Mass., April 25. — Massachusetts will be represented in the Republican National convention by an unpledged delegation if the outcome of today's primaries may be judged from slightly more than half of the total vote tabulated at 11 o'clock tonight. The returns left little doubt that the unpledged group for delegates at large, headed by Governor McCall, had defeated the ticket whose members had declared themselves for Roosevelt.

CONTENDS ALLIES ARE OBEYING LAW

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struggle in which the Allies are engaged, they are compelled to take the most effectual steps to exercise that right."

Law Not Overridden.

On a long discussion of prize court procedure the note gives assurances that the orders in council do not override international law and that the prize court has full power to decide that any given act under these orders is illegal and to entertain any claim for compensation on that basis.

As in a previous note, in answer to the contention that commerce of the United States is being destroyed by the British interferences, figures issued by the United States Department of Commerce are quoted to show that exports to the Scandinavian countries and Holland increased from $97,000,000 in 1913, to $235,000,000 in 1915.

"The inference is suggested," says the note "that if complaints have been made to the administration at Washington by would-be exporters they emanated not from persons who desired to engage in genuine commerce with neutral countries but from those who desired to get goods to the enemy under cover of a neutral destination and who found it more difficult to conceal the real facts from the prize court under the new procedure."

Goods Went to Germany.

To the American contention that goods comprising part of the common stock of the neutral country to which they are consigned should not be intercepted, it replies that "the question of whether goods dispatched to a neutral port were intended to become part of the mass of merchandise for sale in that country is one of fact. It declares that when the Allies found it necessary to intercept shipments of cotton to Sweden "it transpired that though the quays and warehouses of Gothenburg were congested with cotton there was none available for the use of the spinners in Sweden." It adds that contracts falling into British hands proved that goods were not intended for the consumption of neutrals to whom they were consigned but were bound to Germany."

It is claimed consignments of meat products are addressed to lightermen and dock laborers at neutral ports and addressed to firms which do not exist there. Large consignments of similar goods were addressed to a baker, to the keeper of a small private hotel or to a maker of musical instruments. "Will it be contended," asks the note, "that such imports ought to be regarded as bona fide shipments intended to become part of the common stock of a country? * * *

"To press any such theory is tantamount to asking that all trade between neutral ports shall be free and would thus render nugatory the exercise of sea power and destroy the pressure which the command of the sea enables the Allies to impose upon their enemy."

The note refers to the action taken by the United States during the Civil War to stop such a trade and to the Supreme Court's doctrine of continuous voyage given to cover all cases where there was an intention to thwart the blockade by "whatever means, direct or indirect," and says every effort is being made to distinguish between bona fide neutral commerce and that intended for the enemy.

ALMOST COINCIDENTAL WITH ARREST OF ROGER CASEMENT

London, April 25.—Almost coincidental with the capture of Sir Roger Casement, leader of the Separatist faction in Ireland, while he was attempting to land arms from Germany on the coast of Ireland, there has occurred in Ireland a revolutionary outbreak of considerable proportions.

So far as has been announced by [illegible] only Dublin is

HE COULD'T EAT EGGS BECAUSE OF AWFUL SUFFERING

Salesman is Back on Job, and All Foods Taste Good to Him Now—Thanks Tanlac.

J. W. Goodwin, well known salesman for the Herring & Elliott Furniture Co., of Durham, enthusiastically recommends Tanlac.

In an interesting interview with the Tanlac Man, Mr. Goodwin said: "For over two years I suffered from indigestion. At times it was so bad I could only eat toast; even eggs hurt me. I was obliged to give up business because I was so tired out and run down. I lost steadily in weight and strength.

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"If three bottles can work such great things for me and my daughter, I feel it right to let others know about it."

Tanlac holds wonderful reconstructive properties and as a general tonic for weak and run-down and anaemic persons, and as a tissue builder, blood purifier and strength giver, Tanlac is excellent at this spring season, when many ailments approach mankind.

The Bellamy Drug Store sells genuine Tanlac.—adv.

Official War Statements

GERMANY.

Berlin, via London, April 25.—Heavy fighting has been in progress for positions near Dead Man hill northeast of Verdun, the war office announced today. The French advanced in waves against the German trenches, but were driven back under the fire of infantry. The official statement follows:

"Western front: There has been very lively activity by the artillery and aviators on both sides.

"West of the Meuse hand grenade attacks developed during the night northeast of Avocourt.

"An attack delivered in several waves against our trenches east of Dead Man hill broke down under our infantry fire.

"Our aviators conducted extensive bombardments of numerous camps of the enemy. One hostile aeroplane was shot down by our guns near Tahure and destroyed. Another one was shot down east of the Meuse. It rolled over on being struck and fell to the earth.

"Eastern front: Another Russian attack east of Garbunovka broke down with heavy losses to the attacking forces. A German aerial squadron made an attack on the railway and ammunition depots at Molodechno. It had good success, as was noted by the observers."

OBREGON EXPECTED WITHIN FEW DAYS

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what will be discussed at that conference. Mexican embassy officials profess to believe details of the withdrawal of the Americans will be considered.

Columbus, N. M., April 25.—Intermittent sniping continues all along the American line of communication, according to reports of returning truck men. One mand said today a bullet was fired at his car three miles south of the American frontier. While numerous complaints were made of sniping in the rocky canyon between El Valle and Las Cruces.

Torreon, Mexico, via El Paso Junction, April 25.—Ignacio Garcia, secretary of Canuto Reyes, is expected to arrive here tomorrow to negotiate with General Trevino, Carranza commander, regarding the final meeting place for a conference regarding his surrender and that of other rebel generals.

Excursion Fares

FROM WILMINGTON

$4.30
Raleigh, N. C.
and return
Tickets on sale April 25, 26 and 27; limited returning April 29.

$18.00
Philadelphia, Pa.,
and return.
Account General Conference, A. M. E. Chuch. Tickets on sale April 29th, 30th, May 1st; limited to June 4th, 1916.

$30.55
Louisville, Ky.
and return
Tickets on sale May 1, 2 and 3; limited returning June 3.

$28.75
New Orleans
and return
Tickets on sale May 5, 6 and 7; limited returning May 16.

$12.65
Birmingham, Ala.,
and return.
Account United Confederate Veterans' Reunion. Tickets on sale May 13-17th, inclusive; limited until May 25th.

$11.50
Asheville, N. C.,
and return
Account Southern Baptist Convention. Tickets on sale May 13th to 17th, inclusive, limited until May 31st. Extension of final limit may be obtained until June 15th, by deposit of ticket with authorized agent and payment of fee of $1.00.

$33.20
Saratoga Springs, N. Y.,
and return.
Account General Conference Methodist Church. Tickets on sale April 27th, 28th, May 9th and 16th, good to return until June 6th.

$28.65
Orlando, Florida,
and return.
Account of General Assembly, Presby-

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF NEW LABORER'S LEIN LAW ATTACKED

In Argument of Case on Appeal From Iredell County.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—The constitutionality of the 1913 act of the Legislature changing the laborers' lein law—section 2, Laws of 1913—is involved in an appeal spiritedly argued today in the Supreme Court in an appeal of Fore, receiver, vs. Feimster and other commissioners, of Iredell county. The commissioners erected a new county home for Iredell and Solomon Construction Co., of Charlotte, was the contractor and the bond taken by the commissioners did not include protection for the labor and material men under the terms of the 1913 act, which had only been ratified a few days when the contract for the construction of the building was closed. L. C. Caldwell, for the county commissioners, argued that the Legislature had no right to completely upset the general building laws enacted in conformity with the requirements of the State constitution any more than they could upset the general election laws, especially when the change attempted to be enacted for the benefit of only a special class of citizens.

WILSON GOES TO PRINCETON TO VOTE IN THE PRIMARIES.

Plants Tree in Honor of Lincoln and Eulogizes Him in Speech.

Washington, April 25.—President Wilson returned to Washington tonight after a day's trip to Princeton, N. J., where he voted in the Presidential primaries, planted a tree in honor of Abraham Lincoln, and delivered a brief address eulogizing the martyred President. He was accorded a hearty welcome by Governor Fielder, of New Jersey, professors and students of Princeton, and members of the New Jersey Women's Federation of Clubs in charge of the planting of trees along the Lincoln Highway.

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Strong Endorsement for Commisioners

We, the undersigned Democrats of New Hanover County, recognizing the splendid service rendered by the present Board of Commissioners, and appreciating the importance of continuing the developments which they have under way, take this opportunity of presenting to the voters of the county the names of W. A. McGirt, M. S. Willard and W. E. Yopp, members of the present Board of Commissioners, whose terms of office will expire December 1st, 1916, as candidates to succeed themselves. These gentlemen constitute a majority of the Board, and we believe that a continuation of the personnel of that Board, unchanged, will best serve the interests of the people and the affairs of our county. We give these gentlemen our hearty endorsement and recommend them to the voters for their consideration and support at the primary election on June 3rd.

M. W. Jacobi,	R. A. Parsley,	J. V. Grainger,
Jos. N. Jacobi,	J. A. Taylor,	F. H. McCullough,
Wm. Gilchrist,	H. Lacy Hunt,	C. C. Covington,
W. H. Sprunt,	S. A. Matthews,	Edward Register,
J. W. Murchison,	G. A. P. Bowman,	J. M. Byrd,
E. T. Taylor,	A. S. Holden,	H. A. Huggins,
Rob't Ruark,	Geo. W. Huggins,	Oscar Pearsall,
W. E. Perdew,	J. H. Rehder,	D. J. Joyner,
E. W. Woolard,	W. I. Baxter,	F. Hall Andrews,
W. P. McGlaughan,	W. F. Joyner,	Thomas F. Costner,
Parks M. Blair,	J. Joyner,	C. C. Pinckney,
L. D. Latta,	E. M. Beery,	C. B. Newcomb,
Paul B. Bell,	L. S. Everett,	W. L. Fisher,
Joe L. Frank,	Fred. G. Rose,	S. L. Boyd,
E. E. Graham,	E. L. White,	F. M. Holly,
G. C. McIntyre,	Dozier Latta,	John B. LeGwin,
W. L. Thurston,	I. O. Workman,	M. J. Cowell,
J. H. Mitchell,	Arthur Einstein,	D. W. Loring,
H. R. Gardner,	C. L. Pridgen,	A. C. Boney,
John R. Hanby,	F. E. Little,	L. T. Landen,
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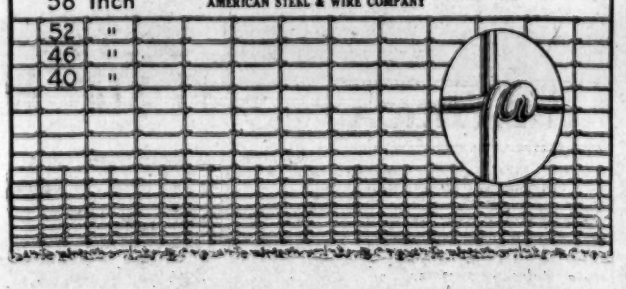

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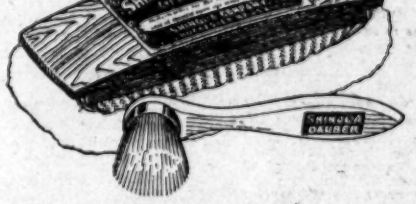

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Q. Why should professional men wear Kuppenheimer Clothes? A. Because they bring out a man's personality to best advantage; they reflect character.

Q. Of what material are these clothes made? A. Pure wool fabrics, selected and tested by experts.

Q. How are they made? A. Bench-tailored by skilled workmen under most favorable working conditions.

Q. Are Kuppenheimer styles dignified? A. Yes, they combine just the right amount of style with conservatism.

Q. Can every man be fitted perfectly with these clothes? A. Yes. Kuppenheimer Clothes are made in sizes with special models for short or tall men, thin men or stout.

The Jury will now return the verdict.

We find Kuppenheimer Clothes to be the best value for the money and of the highest quality, not from testimony offered but from our actual experience.

"Adjourn the Court." We have just received a fine lot of Kuppenheimer Spring Suits. Come in at your earliest opportunity, and see them.

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WHITE SOX LOSE THE OPENER TO THE NAPS

Chicago Uses Five Pitchers, Only Two Being Effective

World's Champion Red Sox Team Lead in Pennant Race by Defeating the Yankees in Ten Inning Game.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At New York 3; Boston 4. (10 innings).
At Cleveland 9; Chicago 2.
At St. Louis-Detroit, rain.
At Washington-Philadelphia, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Detroit at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Washington.
Boston at New York.
Chicago at Cleveland.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	8	4	.667
New York	5	4	.556
Detroit	6	5	.545
St. Louis	5	5	.500
Washington	5	5	.500
Cleveland	5	5	.500
Chicago	6	7	.462
Philadelphia	2	7	.222

Cleveland, April 25.—Cleveland defeated Chicago in the opening game of the series, 9 to 2. Chicago used five pitchers but Russell and Williams were the only ones to show any effectiveness. Coumbe held Chicago to 6 hits, three of which were made by Fournier. He passed the first two batters in the fourth an dthey were the only Chicago men to score. The Woodland Bards of Chicago were present in honor of their fellow member, James C. Dunn, president of the Cleveand club, the day being designated as "Dun Day." Among the notables present were Secretary of War Baker, President Johnson of the American League, Charles Comiskey, owner of the Chicago White Sox, and Charles Weeghman, owner of the Chicago Cubs.

Chicago .. .. 000 200 000—2 6 1
Cleveland . . . . 500 001 03*—9 11 0

Cicotte, Wolfgang, Russell, Benz, Williams and Lynn; Coumbe and O'Neill.

New York, April 25.—The world's champion Boston team retained the lead in the American League by defeating New York in a ten inning game today 4 to 3. Nunamaker made two singles, a double and a triple in four times up. After scoring both of New York's early runs, he drove in the tieing run with a three base hit in the ninth inning.

Boston won, however, in the tenth inning when Henriksen opened with his third hit, took second on Janvrin's sacrifice, third on Hooper's out and scored on Hoblitzell's single. Hoblitzell also drove in two Boston runs in the sixth inning.

Boston .. .. .. 000 002 100 1—4 9 4
New York .. .. 000 001 011 0—3 8 0

Ruth and Thomas; Caldwell and Nunemaker.

MINOR LEAGUES.

ADD MINOR LEAGUES . . . . . —

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

At Atlanta 9; Birmingham 1.
At Mobile 2; New Orleans 5.
At Little Rock 7; Chattanooga 2.
At Memphis 0; Nashville 6.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At Toledo 1; Kansas City 2.
At Louisville 4; St. Paul 1.
At Indianapolis 1; Minneapolis 0.
At Columbus 2; Wilwaukee.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

At Augusta 0; Jacksonville 3.
At Macon 5; Charleston 1.
At Albany 8; Montgomery 7; (10 in.)
At Columbus 6; Columbia 7.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE

At Rocky Mount 3; Newport News 4.
At Norfolk 0; Portsmouth 4.
At Hopewell 1; Petersburg 1. (12 innings, darkness).

OFF DAY FOR ROCKY MOUNT; BUILDERS EVEN UP SERIES

Rocky Mount, N. C., April 25.— Four to three was the way the Builders evened up the series with the Tar Heels this afternoon in a game played in weather that was more auspicious for football than the national pastime. It was in the ninth inning that the winning count came, and it was without a hit that it was staged.

It was a decidedly off day for Rocky Mount, and, with ten men to die on the paths, they were never successful in sending up a hit at the right time save once, and then when Leake was called in from the bench as pinch hitter and delivered, counting two, and Goosetree slashed out a drive that tied the score in the sixth.

Newport News . . . . .010 200 001—4 7 2
Rocky Mount. . . . .000 003 000—3 7 3

Hamilton, Klingen and Lake; Teague, Ingle and Talbot. Umpire, Hughes. Time, 2 hours.

HEAVY ADVERTISING FOR POPULAR TOBACCO.

In this issue of The Star and simultaneously in a large number of Southern newspapers, there appears a very striking and unusual full page advertisement of Tuxedo smoking tobacco. This advertisement contains the endorsement of twenty-three railroad firemen who smoke Tuxedo and prefer it to all other tobaccos. It is but one link in a strong advertising campaign now being waged on behalf of Tuxedo all through the South.

Tuxedo, always a popular brand in this part of the country, has received fresh impetus from this vigorous advertising and sales campaign carried on with characteristic energy and enthusiasm. As a result it is announced that Tuxedo now enjoys a larger Southern sale than at any other time in the history of the brand.

The advertising being done in the newspapers not only strongly features the endorsements of well-known smokers, but explains fully the reasons for the mildness, sweetness and unique "non-biting" qualities of Tuxedo—the characteristics to which the wide popularity of the brand is due.

Trinity And Georgia Tied At End Of 13th

ONE OF BEST GAMES OF SEASON ON METHODIST DIAMOND CALLED ACCOUNT OF DARKNESS. SCORE 6 TO 6.

(Special Star Telegram).

Trinity College, N. C., April 25.—Trinity and the University of Georgia battled 13 innings here today to a six and six tie, the game being one of the best of the season after the sixth. Georgia drove Mason from the box in the seventh after Bennett and Menshew had been knocked out in quick succession.

Earnhardt took up the pitching job and held the Georgians to one hit in more than six innings. Westbrook, who essayed to begin the game on the mound for Georgia, fared badly, yielding four balls, two bases on balls, and three runs in two innings. He was replaced in the third by Philpot, who held the locals to five hits during the remainder of the game. Besides the pitching of Earnhardt and Philpot, both of whom pitched yesterday, features were the hitting of Flythe and Durham for Trinity and the fielding of Spurlock for Georgia.

Trinity . . 300 102 000 000 0—6 9 6
Georgia . . 002 022 000 000 0—6 10 3

Called at end of 13th, darkness.

Mason, Bennett, Menshew, Earnhardt and Love; Westbrook, Philpot and Rawson.

Carolina is Again Loser to Virginia

POWELL AND AYCOCK, PITCHING FOR THE TAR HEELS, ARE BATTED HARD BY THE CHARLOTTESVILLE NINE.

Charlotteville, Va., April 25.—Virginia batted North Carolina's pitchers hard today and won, 8 to 3. White, Virginia catcher, hit a home run with two on bases in the first inning.

Powell re-placed Aycock in the box for North Carolina in the seventh inning, after the latter had forced in two runs.

Virginia 8 12 2
North Carolina 3 4 2

Batteries: Calloway and White; Aycock, Powell and Hart.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

At Chattanooga, Tenn.: University of Chattanooga 0; University of Tennessee 13.

At Tuscaloosa, Ala.: University of Mississippi 4; University of Alabama 14.

At Anderson, S. C.: Furman 0; Clemson 0. (17 innings, darkness).

At Richmond, Va.:—Richmond College 3; University of South Carolina 2.

At Elon College, N. C.: Davidson 4; Elon College 3.

CHESS CLUB ORGANIZED.

Will Have Rooms in the Maffitt Building on Princess Street.

At a well-attended and enthusiastic meeting Monday evening, a new chess and checker club was organized. Charter and by-laws were adopted and officers elected. The name of the organization is the Cape Fear Chess and Checker Club. A fine club room has been secured in the Maffitt Building, corner of Princess and Water streets, just across the street from the new Custom House site.

The management states that all those who intend joining the club will be admitted as charter members, provided they enter before the 25th of May. After that date the usual entrance fee will be required. Monday of each week will be the regular meeting nights. A full attendance is especially desired next Monday night, as an interesting programme has been prepared for the entertainment of the members.

Mr. M. C. Hammond was elected president of the club and Messrs. W. B. Schuler, F. W. Royster and C. D. Maffitt were elected vice-presidents.

R. L. KORNEGAY FOR MAYOR.

Nominated in Mount Olive Municipal Primary—Aldermen.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mount Olive, N. C., April 25.—In the city primary held here yesterday for the nomination of a mayor and a board of aldermen consisting of five members, R. L. Kornegay was nominated for mayor and the following were nominated for aldermen: M. T. Breazeale, J. E. Kelly, DaBrutz English, G. F. Herring and Rodney Knowles. There were also five unsuccessful candidates for aldermanic nominations, namely: H. H. Brown, J. S. Roberts, C. W. Oliver, L. A. Byrd and H. M. Cox. F. F. Manley was the unsuccessful candidate for the mayoralty nomination.

CHIEF REDFERN DEFEATED BY ALF H. McLEOD IN PRIMARY.

Second Primary in Lumberton is Necessary for Mayor and Commissioners

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., April 25.—The town primary passed off quietly here today. Alf H. McLeod defeated Chief of Police Redfern by an overwhelming majority. A second primary is necessary to select a mayor, Dr. W. A. McPhaul leading Mayor White by 15 votes but failing to receive a majority.

Jas. D. Proctor was the only commissioner selected out of ten candidates, which necessitates a second primary for commissioners. The vote was the largest ever polled in a town election here.

Atlanta, April 25.—H. D.Freeman, an Atlanta policeman, breaking 189 out of a possible 200 targets, led the amateurs and E. U. Daniels, of Lynchburg, Va., with 193 led the professionals in the second days' competition for the trap shooters' championship of Georgia. The shoot will be concluded tomorrow.

GIANTS GET BUT FOUR HITS OFF THE BRAVES

Cincinnati Reds Overwhelm the St. Louis Cardinals.

Both Hall and Sallee Are Knocked from the Box in the First Inning—Doak is Effective in the Last Two Innings.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Chicago-Pittsburg, rain.
At Boston 3; New York 1.
At Philadelphia-Brooklyn, rain.
At Cincinnati 11; St. Louis 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
New York at Boston.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
St. Louis at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	6	1	.857
Boston	4	3	.571
Chicago	5	4	.556
St. Louis	6	5	.545
Cincinnati	6	6	.500
Pittsburg	4	6	.400
Brooklyn	2	3	.400
New York	1	6	.143

Boston, April 25.—Rudolph held New York to four hits today, Boston winning 3 to 1. The visitors' run came after two were out and the bases full. Boston tied the score in the first inning on doubles by Maranville and Wilhoit. Roush made a great catch of Compton's hard drive in the fourth inning and doubled Smith at first, Konetchy scoring before the play was completed. Compton singled to McKechnie during the seventh and went to third on the latter's wild throw, scoring on Gowdy's sacrifice fly. McGraw was ordered off the field for talking back to Umpire Klem.

New York .....100 000 000—1 4 1
Boston .....100 100 10*—3 7 2

Perritt, Schauer and Rariden and Dooin; Rudolph and Gowdy.

Cincinnati, April 25.—Cincinnati knocked both Hall and Sallee out of the box in the first inning today and won easily 11 to 3. Griner likewise was hit hard, but Doak retired the side without trouble in the final two innings. Groh, Chase and Griffith carried off the batting honors.

St. Louis .....001 200 000— 3 11 1
Cincinnati .....710 012 00*—11 15 1

Hall, Sallee, Griner, Doak and Snyder and Brottom; Moseley and Wingo.

NEWPORT NEWS PLAYER HAS LEG BROKEN AT ROCKY MOUNT

Frank Walker Out of the Game for Next Two Months at Least.

(Special Star Telegram).

Rocky Mount, N. C., April 25.—Frank Walker, center fielder of the Newport News club, sustained a broken leg in sliding into second base in the eighth inning of today's game. The complete fracture of the small bone of the leg it is believed will keep him out of the game for the first half of the season or for two months at least, according to an announcement from the hospital tonight.

Walker was one of the younger and more promising members of the Builders club and had been counted upon in the fight they are making for the pennant. He is a Virginia boy, having joined Newport News in 1915, after several years of successful college baseball with Randolph-Macon College.

DAVIDSON DEFEATS ELON COLLEGE IN FAST GAME

(Special Star Telegram).

Elon College, N. C., April 25.—Elon lost to Davidson today 4 to 2 in the fastest game of the season, one hour and a quarter. Final score should have been 2 to 0 in Elon's favor, but in the second two costly errors, a scratch hit and a base on balls gave Davidson four unearned runs. Elon led in hitting and general playing and earned both runs, but had hard luck. Purcell, Elon's backstop, was leading hitter.

Davidson .. .. 040 000 000—4 4 3
Elon .. .. 002 000 000—2 7 3

Dadvidson, Currie and Alford; Elon, Bailey and Purcell. Umpire, Newland.

THEATRICAL

Grace Elliston, that accomplished and brilliant Broadway star, creator of the principal roles in "The Lion and the Mouse," and other Broadway successes, makes her motion picture debut today at the Royal in the elaborate Metro filmization of "Black Fear," a powerful and dramatic portrayal of a difficult subject, one of the most superb dramatic productions by Metro in a year.

An all-star cast appears in "Black Fear" in support of Miss Elliston, including Grace Valentine, Edward Brennan, Paul Everton and John Tamsey, the famous boy actor.

Mr. Brennan, one of her chief supporting stars, won his spurs several years ago in the silent drama, and is perhaps better known for his excellent work as "Dunbar, the Man of Mystery" in the famous "Mutual Girl" series which ran at the Bijou Theatre for a solid year. Mayme Kelso, also a member of the cast which portrayed the Mutual Girl series, is included in the cast of this superb photoplay.

"Black Fear" is a gripping photo-drama dealing with the rapidly increasing cocaine habit which the authorities in the larger cities are striving to correct. There are many interesting scenes of New York life from many different angles, in this big feature, which promises to be the sensation of the season.

Lord John—Bijou Today.

That great Universal advertising series, "Lord John's Journal," which is coming one episode every month, starring Billy Garwood and Stella Razeto, has drawn bigger crowds than any of the every-week serials ever have.

Today the fifth great chapter, "The League of the Future," in three reels, is presented at the Bijou and is, as were the others, the greatest thriller you have ever seen in three reels. Adventure upon adventure fall to the lot of "Lord John," in the stirring story written by C. N. and A. M. Williamson and which is appearing in serial form in the "Ladies' World." It has been creating a sensation and the only regret of the patrons is that it doesn't come often enough—just once a month. Besides the two big stars above, among the cast of this chapter is Margaret Mayburn (Mina Cunard), Al MacQuarrie, Juan de LaCruz and Laura Oakley —what a cast! It depicts the unraveling of a mysterious murder in a startlingly original way, and it is absolutely attention-holding from the first to the last flash.

Inimitable Victor Potel has not been seen in a long while, but he comes back strong today in "The Town That Tried to Come Back," a great Imp comedy scream that will absolutely make you roll on the floor.

"Nedra"—Grand Tomorrow.

That great romance by George Barr McCutcheon, "Nedra," the most romantic story ever conceived by this master writer, has been filmed into a great six-act spectacle by Pathe Gold Rooster Plays and is to be presented at the Grand tomorrow as one of the "two-a-week" extraordinary features under the new policy at the Grand, thus utilizing the biggest independent features for which there is no room on the Royal programme.

Everyone, or almost everyone, has read this great novel. The sales have run into the hundreds of thousands of copies. Two love sick people who run away to get married, finally end up on an ocean liner; of their mix-ups on board; of the wreck, and the young fellow saving the wrong girl only to find themselves alone on a small tropical island. Of them being worshipped as gods by the natives, of the interruption to their enforced wedding by the arrival of the U. S. ship, of Hugh's return home to find his girl already married, and his glad return to the sharer of his island home—all makes one of the greatest films that has ever been produced.

Starring in this great feature are George Probert, a big Broadway star, Margaret Greene, one of the most beautiful women in pictures, and Fania Marinoff, who this week opens up on Broadway as the leading star in "The Tempest," supported by many other stars of big magnitude.

The Drews at the Grand.

Sidney Drew himself, assisted by Mrs. Drew, take leading roles in the great three-part Broadway Star Feature, "Between the Two of Them," leading the big bill at the Grand today. The Grand management has been lucky to get a picked programme of all-star feature releases for their five cent days, and yesterday's was voted the biggest bill ever presented there for a jit.

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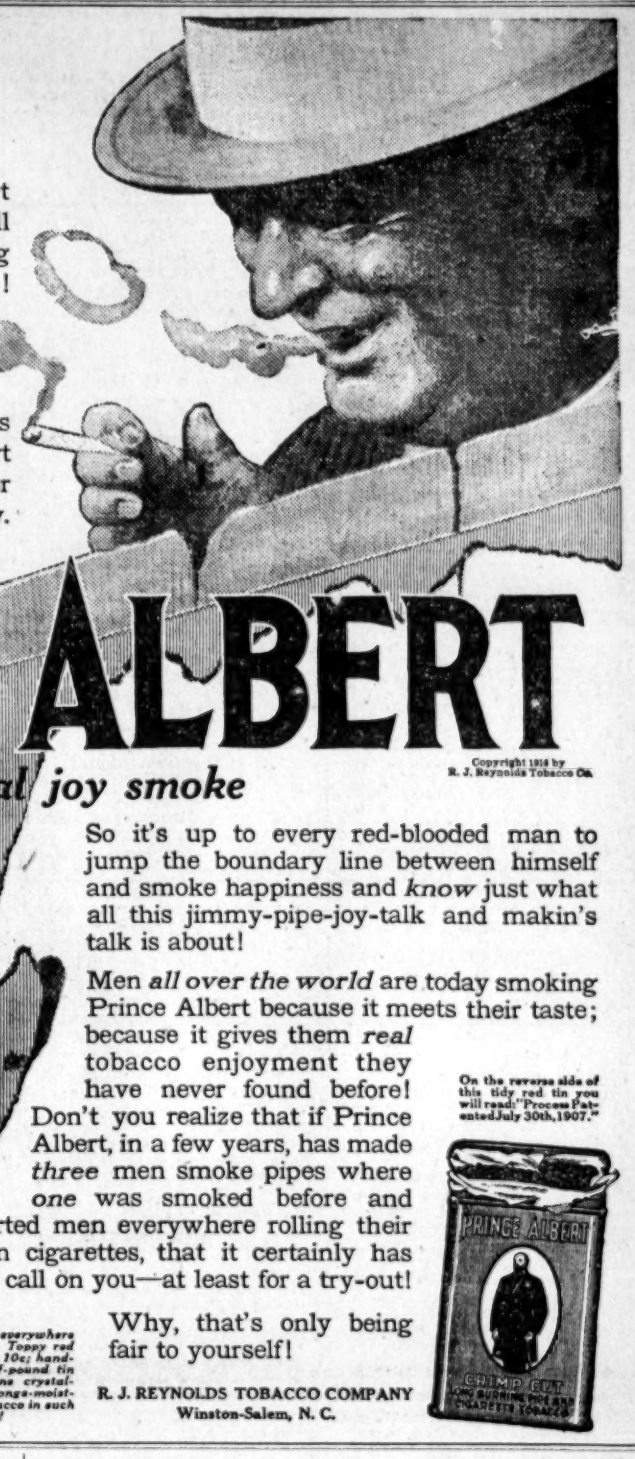

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

If God calls to a height, it can be climbed: if God calls to a duty, it can be done. —JOWETT.

There is not much in the reason that is in treason.

Our foreign relations are not of the amiable kind that we'd like.

Wolfe von Igel's picture shows that he has more than von eye.

Even Congress is having its proceedings disturbed by base bawl of the political kind.

North Carolina Democrats will take their stand at the State convention in Raleigh on Thursday.

Some people who kicked because the army was sent into Mexico are kicking because it is likely to be withdrawn.

Among distinguished Republicans who rank as statesmen, it is perfectly useless to look for the name of any mere Mann.

No man can expect to get in any game and stay unless he is game enough to show his hand when the proper time arrives.

Men's responsibilities are different from those of women. Each has a sphere of his or her own, so that it is the height of folly for a man to attempt to be anybody's granny.

Some men know when it is time to steer clear of the path along which they can foresee that a cyclone is to sweep. They can see it first already, when it is getting ready to start.

Good-bye, Sir Roger Casement, if it really is true that you have been caught in a desperate attempt to land arms in Ireland from a German ship disguised as a neutral freight carrier.

The government and a great majority of the Mexican people are friendly towards us, but some people in this country want to make war on the friendly people of Mexico because of what the bandits of that country do.

Captain Hobson is keeing absolutely mum in view of the fact that the situation would fully justify garrulity on his part to the effect that "I told you so." It shows that when the captain talked a year or so ago he never talked just to hear himself talk.

Says the Jacksonville Times-Union: "Colonel Bryan says he would have been hanged for his opinions had he lived two centuries ago." After all that has happened to him, the Colonel can appreciate the fact that he still has some luck in spite of himself.

It is a matter of regret to the Democrats of the State that Senator Lee S. Overman will not be able to leave Washington to attend the State Democratic Convention in Raleigh on Thursday, bue he finds it necessary to remain in Washington on duty in the Senate, as Senator Simmons is to come to Raleigh to preside as temporary chairman of the convention and make the keynote speech.—Raleigh News and Observer.

"Perusal of the news columns of the daily newspapers," remarks the Philadelphia Press, "reveals a wonderful story of continued prosperity in this country. Investors and workers alike are being benefited by the era of prosperity." The Press is a Republican paper, but it forgets its prosperity editorials now and then to urge that the only way for this country to avoid economic ruin is to turn the Democrats out of office in order to get a return to prosperity. The Press should quote itself in order to realize that it daily acknowledges a return to prosperity under a Democratic administration from the depression existing during the Roosevelt panic and lasting through Taft's administration. And turn of the Democratic prosperity it

SOUTHERN ENDORSEMENT MEANS SOMETHING.

The hearty endorsement of President Wilson all over the South means something on the face of it. Southerners have a way of differing and speaking out in meeting when their convictions suffer violence, but it is really surprising that from no quarter come reports of speeches by Southern politicians who usually call a spade a spade, even though they might represent a minority as was the case when considerable Southern sentiment arose against the lamented Grover Cleveland when he was President. The harmonious endorsement of President Wilson indicates a unified Southern sentiment that means a Solid South next November.

The enemies of the President prate that "he has been timid; he has been weak; he will be always timid and always weak." The South knows better and the enemies of the President know better, for it is apparent to all that the President has been just, cautious and wise and yet has exhibited the firmness in his character when the time came to act. Those who think the President is timid don't seem to remember that he has sent military forces into Mexico twice in less than three years, and they now see him standing pat with reference to the conduct of submarine warfare by Germany. He has been firm with his own party and with Congress and it has not been so long ago that he was so firm with Congress that many congressmen of both parties feared that the President showed signs of wanting to go to war.

It is all a joke that the President is any too timid, anything like weak, or any too firm. His enemies might continue to refuse to believe that but Southern Democrats and fair-minded men have a way of seeing what they see—a President who moves deliberately yet courageously in his handling of the destiny of the Nation.

Like the charus of endorsements of Wilson coming from all over North Carolina, the Charleston News and Courier reports the same unanimity of Wilson sentiment in South Carolina. The President is firm enough for South Carolina Democrats of all shades of opinion, and that is saying a great deal. Our esteemed South Carolina contemporary says the Democratic endorsements in that state "have the ring of sincerity and of genuine conviction," and that "when the past loyalty of South Carolina to Mr. Bryan is recalled, it will be agreed that the present unswerving loyalty of South Carolina to Woodrow Wilson means something."

The same can be said as to the attitude of the North Carolina Democracy and it is significant that the same sturdy sentiment prevails all over the South. Louisiana spoke her sentiment at the polls a few days ago when she elected a Democratic governor by from 30,000 to 35,000 majority. She turned down a Bull-Moose-Republican combination led by strong and able men, and Wilson was the chief issue, despite the efforts of the opposition to deceive the people by appealing to local factionalism and by parading pretences of latter day virtue.

Promise did not go against sad recollections in Louisiana, and neither will the people of North Carolina turn a credulous ear to the "rejuvenated Republican party," a mere masquerade of the whangdoodle of old, with the same old voice, and the same old head full of the same old designs of the bygone days of scandalized fusionism.

NITRATE PREPAREDNESS

Southern sections with available hydro-electric power are already bidding strongly for the government nitrate plant which it is said is the intention of Congress to establish for the purpose of securing the nitrogen constituent from the air. Even in New York the Journal of Commerce says, the nitrate firms look upon it as a commendable step towards national preparedness. However, they do not believe that the proposed appropriation of $15,000,000 for such a plant or plants would make the United States independent of outside supplies in the event of war.

According to the Journal of Commerce, estimates made on Saturday by New York men familiar with the nitrogen plants of Europe were that the establishment contemplated by Congress could turn out about 60,000 or 70,000 tons of nitric acid a year. During 1915 the United States imported from Chili, the only supply of of free nitrate of soda in the world, 772,000 tons, which yields about 70,000 tons, which yields about 70 per cent nitric acid, or around 540,000 tons of the acid essential to the manufacture of explosives. According to these estimates the production of the government plant would be less than one-eighth of the omount used in normal times and would be even less a proportion of the acid needed in case of war with a first class power.

It is said that in spite of rumors that the United States has great quantities of nitrate of soda in the West, no beds that are commercially workable have been found. If the country were cut off from Chili by a more powerful fleet in the event of war, the manufacture of munitions would be seriously handicapped, even with the full output available from a government plant.

In Europe, it was pointed out, nitrogen is being extracted from the air more cheaply than it can be imported from Chili. Germany is making its own nitric acid. Norway is not only making enough for the use of its own people but is exporting to adjoining nations.

Henry Bradley of 72 Wall street states that he has made trips throughout the West to investigate the reports [illegible] in commercial quantities. In every case, he said, the rumors had proved misleading or untrue. While the presence of nitrate of soda has been found in many beds of soft dirt, its solubility has been discovered to be about equal to that of a number of other chemicals. This has made it practically impossible to obtain. Unless some new process or some new chemical is discovered, said Mr. Bradley, the nitrate of soda in this country cannot be utilized.

In many of the beds which have been reported he found nitrate of potash present to the extent of obout three per cent, and nitrate of soda aobut five per cent and nitrate of soda about five around 500 properties, and did not find one that would allow successful extraction of nitrate of soda. In case of war he doubts if we could produce one-tenth of one per cent of the nitric acid which we would need in the manufacture of munitions.

Hydro-electric power localities in North Carolina and South Carolina ought to be available for nitrogen plants, of which there are said to be only two in the United States. One is in Tennessee and the other is at Catawba Falls, S. C., where Mr. J. B. Duke and associates of the Southern Power Company have the most powerful hydro-electric power plant in the South.

It is doubtful whether nitrate can be manufactured to compete with the mined product which comes to Wilmington by the ship load from the natural beds of Chili, but the main argument for such a government owned plant is that it is absolutely necessary as a precaution against the possibility of being cut off from the Chilean supply.

WHERE DO WE GET THE DYES?

The fact that Germany has consented for American textile interests to import 15,000 tons of coal tar dyestuffs from that country has caused discussion to take several curious turns in the last few days. Some manufacturers seem to have been greatly relieved by the idea of getting $5,000,000 worth of German dyes, while others talked as though they were not particularly needed. This in spite of the face that there have been alarming reports about a dye shortage and the possibly closing down of American textile factories on account of it.

Many manufacturers express the belief that American manufacturers will soon be turning out all the dyestuffs this country can consume and that German importation might interfere with the plans of American capitalists who propose to invest in the dye industry.

The cotton manufacturers are now saying that there is not going to be the coloring famine that was predicted a few months ago. It has been said that dyes were hard to get but in the meantime it is reported that immense quantities of dyes from somewhere have been sold to the manufacturers at fabulous prices. Somewhere or somehow, it is said, supplies of dyes have been secured, for never before in the history of United States textile industries, it is pointed out, have plants been running so full as they have been in the past six months, whether they be plants for printing, finishing or dyeing.

The question is, where do they get the dyes to keep right on going? It certainly is strange how business keeps up after so much calamity howling has been done. Dyes seem to be coming in somehow, and it is said that New England manufacturers are not worrying half so much about their inability to get dyes as they are worried about the high price somebody is getting out of them for dyes.

VOTERS MUST PAY POLL TAX

Democratic voters must remember that they must pay their poll tax by the first of May in order to be able to vote in either the State primary in June or at the general election in November. This is a very important matter, since it is a presidential election year and both the national and state issues are of vital concern to the people. A full Democratic vote is not only desirable but necessary, as all Democrats ought to know by this time.

Only a few more days remain in which to pay poll tax, for the first of May will be here next Monday. It is said that Republicans have long ago but quietly taken this matter into consideration and that they have been paying poll taxes as never before. Democrats who have failed to do so should get busy the balance of this week if they desire to have a voice in the nominating primary or in the election of a President. Those who have paid their poll tax and desire to do some effective service for their party can render valuable service by calling the attention of the negligent to this matter.

IT'S UP TO STATE CONVENTION.

To the Editor of The Star:

The Democrats of Brunswick, New Hanover, Columbus, Bladen and Robeson have, in convention assembled, and through the press, advocated with great unanimity the nomination of A. W. McLean, of Robeson, and O. L. Clark, of Bladen, as delegates to the National Democratic convention in St. Louis. It is now up to the Democratic State convention to be held in Raleigh on Thursday to uphold the hands and carry out the wishes of the Democrats of this Congressional district in this very important work. It has been pointed out by life-long party men that the time has come when the Democratic party must recognize and call into its counsels the leading men of the district and state, as well as the professional men and politicians. I am no alarmist, but the wayfaring man, though he be a fool, could not fail to see that the people will no longer tolerate the brushing aside of their expressed wishes and the subordination of their best interests to the will and whims of professional politicians whether such tactics be resorted to by the Democratic party or any other party.

The people, Democrats and Republicans, are thinking for themselves today, back in the rural districts as well as in the cities and towns, and no longer receive their instructions from headquarters or party bosses as to whom they will support or repudiate. Having expressed themselves on this subject in five of the seven counties, it is now up to the Democratic party in this district to follow the mandates of the majority and select Wilton McLean and Oscar Clark as delegates from this Congressional district. When this much is done the Republican bosses can no longer lay the charge at the door of the Democratic party that professional politicians dominate the rank and file of the Democratic party in this district and State. If we fail to respect the expressed wishes of the Democrats of the five counties mentioned above and yield to the dictates of the politicians, what else may we expect at the hands of self-respecting and life long Democrats but boss rule and political dictation from headquarters.

In what I have said in the above I have spoken only in behalf of a reunited and triumphant Democracy. Those who love the party of my choice and the party with which I have affiliated and served from my early manhood could hardly see this situation in any other light. It is from this sense of loyalty and duty as well as love of state and nation that I am speaking as I do.

Yours for the success of Democracy,
GEORGE H. BELLAMY.
Ladvale, N. C., April 25, 1916.

COMPENSATIONS

By Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman, D. D.

"I will restore the years."—Joel 2:25.

To be without the memory of a father who was true and a mother who was all that she should be is to suffer a loss which, to some extent, cannot be made up.

Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman.

The waif found on the street, the boy growing up in the city, homeless and all but friendless, these must go through life with a certain something lacking, which Time, with all its wealth or distinction, can never make up.

But there is one thing even worse than this. That is to have the memory of a father who has hindered you with an inheritance, or the recollection of a mother whose memory is not more and more beautiful as the days go by.

But in the face of such discouragements success may be won.

Years ago a waif was found on the streets of a Southern city. A few days ago he became the governor of his state.

Fifty years ago a little baby was found on the steps of a beautiful home in an Eastern city. Today he is a minister of the gospel.

There are compensations which, for those who suffer loss, should not be forgotten.

It is said that we inherit but half of our tendency for good or bad from our immediate ancestors, one-fourth from our grandparents, one-eight from our great-grandparents and so on. All of which goes to make up a balance which seems to be just.

But, best of all, God has said: "I will be a father to the fatherless." Again, "As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort you." And yet again we are told, "When my father and mother forsake me, then the Lord will take me up."

We hinders us, He overcomes.
What is lacking, He will supply.

WAS HEROIC WORK.

To the Editor of The Star:

Through the columns of your paper, I desire to compliment the Wilmington fire department on the excellent work done at the fire last Sunday. I have lived in several cities in the South and I have seen numerous fires and fire departments, but I have never seen such heroic fire fighting as I witnessed at the Chadbourn lumber plant conflagration.

Gentlemen of the fire department, I think I must agree with a stranger, who witnessed some of your fire fighting qualities at one of our garages last winter. He declared that it would not be any use to send the Wilmington fire department to the lower regions, for they would put out the fire, and I may add that I firmly believe that worthy chief would kill the devil.

Gentlemen of the fire department, I again compliment you on being the best set of firemen it has ever been my pleasure to live among and Wilmington should feel proud of you.

G. R. D.

CURRENT COMMENT

Just as oil is being discovered in Henrico along comes a man and makes a stuff for autos at two cents a gallon.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Talk about our war correspondents as much as you like but the Mexican editor who assured his readers that Villa had conquered Texas and President Wilson has fled to Canada has beaten them all at their own game.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

As the probability of a break with Germany becomes greater, the press of the country begins to consider the manner in which this may be brought about. The Springfield Republican thinks that if the dissolution of diplomatic relations should be demanded, the President ought to lay the matter before Congress, before recalling Ambassador Gerard and handing Count von Bernstorff his passports. There is every reason to believe the President would actually follow this course. The issue would be so grave in itself and likely be followed by such momentous consequences that Congress would have the right to be advised and to advise the President. It is to be remembered that a mjority of the Republicans, when the matter came to a vote, registered their opposition to the firm submarine policy for which the President has stood. That party should have another opportunity, if the occasion arises, to blot out its shame—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Representative Claude Kitchin, the majority leader in the House, is said to regard the candidacy of Mr. C. W. Mitchell for the nomination from the Second district as rather a serious proposition, as Mr. Mitchell will make Leader Kitchin's opposition to the administration plans the issue. A development of this kind had been anticipated by politicians in this State and the understanding seems to have been general that opposition to Kitchin on any other ground would have been useless. Mr. Kitchin has so far developed no marked opposition to the plans of the administration and it will be a little more difficult to work up a fight against him on that score than it might have been at an earlier stage in the game, when the country could judge Mr. Kitchin only by his spoken words and not by his actions. But if Mr. Kitchin is to lose the nomination, it could be on one issue alone, and that is the one which has been seized upon by Mr. Mitchell.—Charlotte Observer.

Warsaw, N. C., April 25.—Mr. J. H. Newbury, of this city, has announced himself a candidate for representative in the Legislature. Mr. Newbury, a son of the late H. E. Newbury, of Magnolia, is known throughout the county, where he has traveled in the interests of his business, being a member of the Newbury Realty & Auction Company. He has a host of friends, and is well liked for his jovial, courteous manner, and stands a good chance for receiving the nomination, it is believed.

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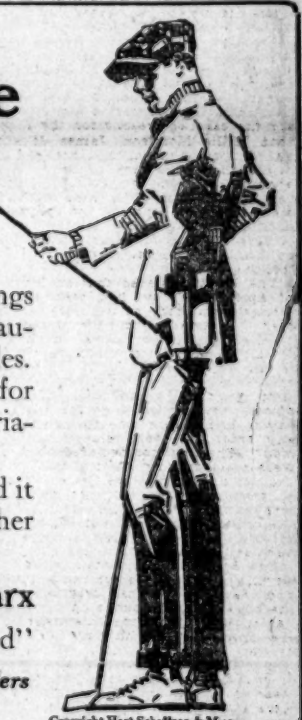

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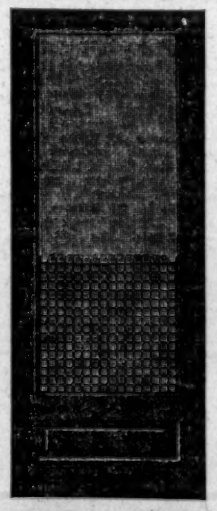

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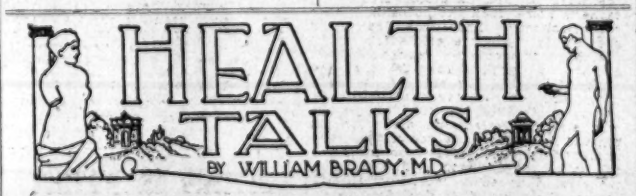

HOW TO STOP GROWING BALD.

Is there any such thing as a "hair tonic" or a scalp tonic? If so, the young man who is just beginning to grow bald will be eager to try it.

It is just as logical to think that medicinal applications rubbed into the ends of the fingers will make the nails grow faster as it is to believe that any alleged "hair tonic" rubbed into the scalp will cause a better growth of hair.

Why do men grow bald? That is a question upon which theorists have speculated wonderfully for hundreds of years, but men continue to grow bald about as fast as ever. There is just one elementary fact which can be accepted by all, namely, that failure of nutrition of the hair folicle is the cause of the hair dropping out of ceasing to grow. Our own personal theory is that men's headgear tends to interfere with scalp nutrition by pressure upon the arteries, and at the same time prevents the natural preservative action of air and sunlight.

But anyway, nutrition of the hair follicle is deficient. Can it be improved by artificial means? Yes, beyond the shadow of doubt. Massage of the scalp is the sure remedy. Massage must be done by the individual himself—and it is excellent exercise, too.

It must be done at least once a day, better two or three times a day, for about five minutes at a time. And it is most readily performed in the following manner:

Grasp the scalp with the open hand and, with firm pressure, endeavor to gather up a handful of scalp in a bunch. First one hand, for a few grabs, then the other, alternately, for it is really hard work. Keep it up, going systematically over the entire scalp, until the skin is in a warm glow. Do it vigorously. Don't be afraid to put muscle into the work.

A scalp massage, self-administered, is only a fair recompense for the injury done the scalp by unnecessary wearing of hats. Hats, for men, are unnecessary about nine-tenths of the time, mere vain adornment and nothing more.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Can Flesh be Boiled Away?

Is there any ill effect to be anticipated in taking cabinet baths or Turkish hard, is likely to cause such irritaflesh?

Answer—That would depend upon the individual's heart. But it is a mighty poor way to reduce. If you have no other reason for such baths, better not experiment with them. The why to reduce weight is by diet and exercise—both remedies to be supervised by a doctor who is fully informed about your physical condition.

Pruritis from Bathing.

I suffer from irritation and itching of the skin for some time after my morning bath. If I omit the bath for a day or two I have no trouble. I wear light silk underwear. Is it the hardness of the water? I know several others who suffer in the same way.

Answer—Frequent bathing in cool weather, especially if the water is very hard, is likely to cause such arritation or pruritis. It is well to add a handful of soda to the water used for rinsing. This skin cream may be applied:

Lanolin	2 drams
Boroglyceride	1 dram
Cold cream (made with white vaseline)	6 drams
Menthol	10 grains

Dr. Brady will answer all signed letters pertaining to Health. If your question is of general interest it will be answered through these columns; if not it will be answered personally if stamped, addressed envelop is enclosed. Dr. Brady will not prescribe for individual cases or make diagnoses. Address Dr. William Brady, care of this newspaper

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THREE JUNK DEALERS WERE FOUND GUILTY

By Recorder Of Operating Without License From City

Recorder Announces That He Liberated Three Colored Boys Recently Sent to the Stockade for 12 Months. Other Cases Heard.

At yesterday morning's session of the Recorder's court, Recorder Empie took up the highly important cases against the four colored and two white defendants, charged with doing business as junk dealers without a license One of the negroes was found not guilty, while the other three negroes were found guilty of technical violations of the law, and given suspended judgments.

In the case of Morris Goldberg, Solicitor Peschau declared that he was unable to go forward with the trial of the case owing to the fact that the Recorder had released three of the colored boys whom he recently sent to the country stockade on parole for 12 months each, as they were the witnesses upon whom he relied to prove that the defendant was a junk dealer, and that he understood they had left the State. In the case of M. Miller, white, charged with the same offense, the State took a nol pros with leave.

In the case of George Williams, colored, charged with resisting an officer, the counsel for the defendant raised the point of law that his client had acted within his rights in resisting the officer. The solicitor contended that the police officer was a lawful officer of the county, and as such the warrant could be served by any member of the police department. The Recorder announced that he would hold the case open until he had an opportunity to examine the points of law involved.

Much interest has been aroused in the question of the operations of junk dealers in the city, owing to the fact that the last Superior Court grand jury recommended that their licenses be revoked. Their recommendation and a statement of the problem which confronts officers in dealing with those who buy stolen property, is contained in the following extract from the grand jury's report:

"It has been authoritatively reported to the grand jury that offenders too young to prosecute have been mutilating the plumbing in vacant houses for the purpose of selling the disconnected parts to junk dealers and have caused damage estimate at from $3,000 to $4,000 in recent months. We strongly recommend that licenses to junk dealers be revoked and to discontinue issuing licenses to parties engaged in this business. We have been informed that the city can maintain a place to make legitimate purchases of scrap metals and we so recommend."

In the case of Morris Goldbery, white, charged with doing business as a junk dealer without a license from the city, a nol pros with leave was taken. Solicitor Peschau stated to the court that he was not in a position to try the case at present for the reason that Willie Morrison, James Jackson, and Ernest Jackson, the three colored boys, who were sent to the stockade about two weeks ago by the Recorder for a period of 12 months each for stealing brass, copper and plumbing fixtures from various houses in the city, had to his surprise, been released, and that he was advised they had left the State.

The Solicitor stated that on the 19th of April these boys had been brought from the stockade as witnesses in this case and upon continuance of the case until yesterday at request of the defendant, arrangements had been made to have the boys in court. "I assumed they were safe," continued the Solicitor, "and I did not hear until the officers were about to go for them today to bring them here to testify, that any order for their release had been mad." The Solicitor declared that they were the most important witnesses for the State, and that the State expected to prove by them that the defendant was in the junk business, as these witnesses had, from time to time, sold brass and other articles of junk at the defendant's place of business.

The Recorder stated that he was unwittingly responsible for the situation, and that while he had originally sent the boys to the stockade on parole; he had on Monday modified his order upon the promise that the boys would be carried and placed with relatives in South Carolina, and had accordingly on that day given an order for their release, overlooking the fact that they were also wanted as witnesses in the case. He added that the boys are probably now in Florence, S. C.

W. F. Jones, Esq., attorney for Mr. Goldberg, announced that he was ready to go ahead with the case, but the State was not willing to go to trial with the evidence available, and took a nol pros with leave, with the consent of the Recorder.

Andrew Brown, James Robert Williams, Jonah Foy and William Beddincourt, all colored, also charged with out licenses, were also tried and their cases disposed of. The Recorder found Beddincourt not guilty, and held that Brown, William and Foy were guilty of technical violations of the city ordinance, and suspended judgment in their cases. In the case of M. Miller, white, charged with doing business as a junk dealer without a license, the State took a nol pros with leave.

MRS. HORTON DEAD.

Former Resident of Wilmington Passes Away in Florida.

Mrs. Benjamin R. Horton, a resident of this city, up until a year ago, died suddenly at her home in Lakeland, Fla., Monday afternoon.

News of her death was received yesterday by relatives in this city. She is survived by five children, including a daughter, Mrs. Leon Page, who resides in the Gore Apartments, Ninth and Orange streets. Mrs. Horton's remains will be removed to Richmond, Va., where interment will be made.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: Manhattan Company to Constance Cameron, for $50 and othther considerations, lot on north side of Orange street, 33 feet west of 17th, 41 by 99 feet in size; K. O. Burgwin and Robert Ruark, commissioners, for $8,800, lot on southeast corner of Ninth and Market streets; W. C. Myers to E. S. Waddell, for $115, lot on east side of James' street, 90 feet north of Taylor, 30 by 75 feet in size; T. C. Batson to Christian Mae Batson, for $100 and other considerations, lot at Orange St. and Wrightsville turnpike; L. G. Bennett and wife to Kinsey Hobbs, for $10 and other considerations, lot on north side of Castle street, 30 feet west of Glasgow Drive, 40 by 106 feet in size.

CAMPAIGN WAS BIG SUCCESS

Rotary Club Gratified With Splendid Results Accomplished by the Clean-Up Movement.

Members of the Wilmington Rotary Club expressed themselves yesterday as very much pleased with the splendid results accomplished by the "Clean-up and Paint-up" campaign from April 3rd to 15th, which was inaugurated by this organization and carried out so efficiently by a committee, which had the cordial co-operation of the city and county officials as well as of the people generally of the entire community.

Mr. M. A. Curtis, Jr., chairman of the committee, submitted a report at the meeting of the club yesterday summing up the results of the campaign. Mr. Curtis worked early and late during the campaign and to him is due much credit for the success. He was tendered a rising vote of thanks for the great interest shown by him. The Boy Scouts also played a very important part in the campaign.

Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, county health officer, and Superintendents Furlong and Holton expect to continue the movement through the summer and will co-operate in every way possible to continue to make Wilmington the cleanest and most beautiful of all Southern cities. Members of the Rotary Club have assured them of their continued co-operation in this laudable purpose.

The report of the committee, submitted by Mr. Curtis yesterday is as follows:

"Gentlemen:—Your 'Clean-up and Paint-up' committee begs to make the following report relative to the campaign held in Wilmington from April 3-15 inclusive:

"In spite of the handicap, (due to lack of carts and men), under which Superintendents Jno. J. Furlong and Jas. E. Holton worked, these gentlemen advise that the clean-up campaign is considered by far the most satisfactory ever held in Wilmington. Mr. Furlong has at his command just one-half the carts and force which were held by his predecessor. When the campaign commenced the superintendent of streets was about three days behind in collecting the accumulation which had been swept up for removal. All things considered, he should be congratulated on what was accomplished by his department.

"Supt. Jas. E. Holton, of the Sanitary Department, in letter advises that during the campaign he removed 879 loads of trash from the streets and 64 loads from vacant lots. He also had his men gather and remove trash from five vacant lots.

"Two days were set aside as 'Vacant Lot' days. The success of this particular movement is attributed almost altogether to the work of the Boy Scouts, who, in squads, went all over the city and as far as possible swept up the trash in piles in the middle of vacant lots. This feature would have proved more successful but for the neglect of your committee in giving sufficient advance notice to Mr. Odis B. Hinnant.

"We desire to extend particular thanks to the following for the part they took in making a success of 'Clean-up and Paint-up' campaign:

"The daily papers, The Morning Star and Evening Dispatch who, both editorially and in their news columns gave wide publicity to the movement;

"Messrs. Howard & Wells, who displayed daily in their theatres a moving picture and picture slides advertising and encouraging the clean-up and paint-up movement;

"The Mayor of the city, who in every way co-operated with your committee and, together with council, offered any number of teams and men necessary for the removal of trash;

"Superintendents Furlong and Holton who worked early and late endeavoring to make a cleaner city.

"It is recommended that a special committee be appointed to confer with the Mayor and City Council with the view of having them furnish sufficient force to the Sanitary and Street departments for the regular removal of trash.

"Respectfully submitted,
"Clean-up and Paint-up Committee."

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE TIDEWATER POWER COMPANY

Officers and Directors Elected For Ensuing Year—Reports are Made.

At the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Tidewater Power Company yesterday morning at 11 o'clock reports of the operations of the company were made by the officials and officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year.

Col. John VanB. Metts and Thos. W. Davis, Esq., were elected as directors to fill the vacancies in the board of directors caused by the death of Mr. George R. French and Junius Davis, Esq. All the other members were re-elected. The board is as follows:

Messrs. Hugh MacRae, M. F. H. Gouverneur H. C. McQueen, Walker Taylor, J. G. Gretschen, Eduard Ahrens, G. E. Taylor, J. V. Grainger, W. B. Cooper, G. Herbert Smith Oscar Pearsall, C. W. Worth, Jurgen Harr, M. J. Corbett, Burke H. Bridgers, Thos. W. Davis J. VanB. Metts.

Immediately following the stockholders' meeting the directors held a meeting at which the election of officers took place. The following are the officers elected:

President, Mr. Hugh MacRae; first vice president, Mr. M. F. H. Gouverneur; second vice president, Mrs. H. C. McQueen; treasurer, Mr. Richard J. Jones; secretary, Mr. Harry Woolcott; assistant secretary, Mr. R. M. Sheppard; assistant treasurer, Mr. T. B. Willard; fiscal agent, Mr. F. W. Dick; general manager ,Mr. A. B. Skelding; assistant general manager, Mr. Raymond Hunt; consulting engineer, Mr. W. W. Randolph; development engineer, Mr. Frank Mead; sales agent, Mr. J. R. Eddy.

SIGNED BY KING GUSTAF.

Mr. Norden Receives Commission to Represent Grand Lodge of Sweden.

A commission has been issued by the National Grand Lodge of Masons of Sweden, appointing Mr. Eric Norden, a well known Wilmington civil engineer, as its representative in the State of North Carolina. King Gustaf V, of Sweden, who is Grand Master, signed the commission in his own hand writing. Mr. Norden's many friends will be glad to learn of the high honor that has been conferred upon him. The commission was issued January 26th, and has just reached Mr. Norden.

Along with the commission is sent a certificate from the Grand Secretary, Nils Frensburg, of Stockholm, certifying that the commission was signed by King Gustaf in his official capacity as Grand Master.

ARREST OF NEGRO IS CONSIDERED IMPORTANT

Leads To Recovery of Several Articles Stolen Recently

Laurence Swinson Jailed on Charge of Burglary by Officer Godwin. Jewelry of Wilmington People at Negro's Home.

With the arrest yesterday afternoon of Laurence Swinson, a young colored man about 25 years old, County Officer H. Mack Godwin and police officers believed they have at least gotten on the trail of the identity of the burglar or burglars that have in the past few months made a practice of entering Wilmington homes at night, and have secured evidence which places on the negro some connection with them.

Swinson was arrested on Tenth street between Market and Princess following the apprehension of Robert McGowan, colored, on a charge of having received stolen goods after he had tried to sell a gold watch to Mr. J. T. Burke, the jeweller at No. 27 South Front street, that later was identified by Captain W. A. Sanders as having been stolen from his home at No. 108 Church street.

When McGowan tried to sell the watch to Mr. Caldwell, an engraver in the jewelry store, the latter got in touch with Officer Godwin, who immediately began an investigation. McGowan told the officer that he got it from Laurence Swinson, who had sold it to him. He stated also that Swinson had a ladies' pearl watch in his possession. In company with Policeman J. O. Bullard the county officer started out on a search for Swinson. They found him on Tenth street between Market and Princess and when Officer Bullard went to arrest him, he offered considerable resistance but was finally subdued.

Nothing was found on the negro but upon going to his home at No. 910 Sprunt's alley, between Ninth and Tenth and Princess and Chestnut streets, the officers found a ladies' watch with pearl case and Swiss movement with the inscription on the front, "Lady Grand." They also found a watch fob which McGowan said had first been on the gold watch he got from Swinson. A diamond ring, later identified as belonging to Mr. Robert R. Bellamy, was also recovered from Swinson's wife, who said her husband had given it to her.

Other things found at the home of Swinson by Officers Godwin and Bullard were a Waterman fountain pen, a "Yankee" Ingersoll watch, a broken pair of spectacles, a hollow ground "fully warranted" razor and a 32 Iver Johnson pistol.

Swinson was lodged in the county jail on a charge of burglary. There is a scar on one of his hands which indicates that he had been shot by a pistol and in this the officers believe they have a further clue to some of his activities in the past. Later last night Swinson's wife was arrested on a charge of having received stolen goods, knowing them to have been stolen.

The importance of the arrest of Swinson was still further accentuated last night when County Officer Godwin, not content with the disclosures already made, accompanied by Chief of Police Williams, again went to the house of the negro, 219 Sprunt's alley, between 9th and 10th and Chestnut street's and recovered a quantity of loot that indisputably fixes on the negro connection with the robbery of the home of Mr. Robert R. Bellamy, on Market street, about six weeks ago; the robbery of the home of Mr. L. M. LeGwin a fortnight or more ago, and perhaps the robbery of the home of Mr. L. Stein, on Market street, at a still further date back.

Officer Godwin recovered from the wife of Swinson a diamond ring, which was later identified as belonging to Mrs. Robert R. Bellamy and an Ever Ready safety razor, stolen fro mthe Bellamy residence on the same occasion. A silver cigarette case, bearing the initials of Dr. John B. LeGwin and identified by him as stolen from his father's home upon the occasion of the recent robbery. There was also recovered by Mr. Godwin a gold stock pin in the shape of a question mark, set with a diamond, and probably the property of Mr. L. Stein. The pin had been cut short and then resharpened and will be easily identified by Mr. Stein. There was also recovered one small breast pin and a lady's gold watch clasp as yet unidentified. The officer also found in the trunk of Swinson a fine pair of trousers, apparently worn little, and bearing the name of Mr. G. J. Simon, the tailor on Princess street,and his mark as having made the garment for R. W. A. Nixon on January 15th, 1915. These trousers also have not as yet been identified.

The recovery of these articles by Mr. Godwin clearly shows that Swinson had a hand in the robbery of Mr. Bellamy's home; the robbery of the home of Mr. Legwin and without a doubt also the robbery of Mr. Stein's residence some weeks ago. The officers are of the opinion that Swinson operated alone and they believe that with his capture and the evidence they have accumulated against him in rapid-fire order will ensure a cessation of the numerous robberies that have taken place during the past several months. Swinson has been asked for no statement as yet and probably will not be until all the evidence has been shaped up today.

DELEGATION FROM CLARKTON ATTENDS TABERNACLE SERVICE

More Than 100 People from Bladen and Columbus Counties Here.

One of the largest delegations which has attended the services at the Tabernacle and the first from out of town, was that which arrived in the city at 1 o'clock yesterday from Clarkton. The delegation numbered 101 members. They attended both the afternoon and evening services at the Tabernacle yesterday.

Interest in the meetings which are being conducted here has already spread to practically all sections of Eastern Carolina, and it is expected that the example set by the Clarkton people will be followed by delegations from many other cities and towns round about.

The committee which made the arrangements for the attendance of the delegation from Clarkton included the following prominent citizens of that progressive town: Messrs. E. C. Clark, N. A. Currie, O. L. Clark, Rev. W. H. Goodman and Sam T. Meares, editor of the Bladen Journal. The delegation returned to Clarkton last night at 10:30 by special train.

THROUGH PULLMAN SERVICE

Between Asheville and Wilmington During Summer—Parlor Car Service to Greensboro.

Effective June 18th, the Atlantic Coast Line in conjunction with the Southern Railway will put into operation a through Pullman service between Wilmington and Asheville, the same to continue until September 17th, and also on the same date will inaugurate a parlor car service between Wilmington and Greensboro, according to announcement which has just been made by Mr. W. J. Craig, passenger traffic manager, in a letter to Mr. J. A. Taylor, chairman of the traffic committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

Both these improvements in service will be wecomed by the traveling public but more especially by those wishing to visit the summer resorts in the vicinity of Wilmington. Acknowledging receipt of Mr. Craig's letter, Chairman Taylor replied as follows:

"Dear Sir:—I beg to acknowledge your favor of the 24th apprising me of the arrangement with the Southern Railway for a through Pullman car service between Wilmington and Asheville effective June 18th and to continue until September 17th.

"Note that the schedule is to leave Wilmington at 3:45 P. M., arriving at Asheville 7 A. M. next morning; returning, leave Asheville at 8 P. M., arriving at Wilmington 12:50 noon following day.

"Also, effective June 18th, you will inaugurate parlor car service between Wilmington and Greensboro, which service will continue until September 10th.

"You state that this is the first time there has been a through Pullman car service between Wilmington and Asheville via Columbia, and express the opinion that not only the Wilmington public but the territory between Wilmington and Columbia will appreciate the advantage of this through service. I concur fully in this view, and am sure that you will find the appreciation to be just as continuous as the service, by which I mean to intimate that if possible the service should be continued after September 17th.

"Yours very truly,
"J. A. TAYLOR."

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES IN NEED OF FUNDS FOR WORK

Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, the President, Appeals for Contributions.

Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, president of the Associated Charities, states that this organization is now in need of funds to carry on its work and he makes an appeal for contributions. At the recent annual meeting of the directors, Dr. McClure stated that the affairs of the association were in good shape and that it had by careful economy kept within its income. However, it is necessary to keep the income going regularly and yesterday Dr. McClure made the following statement to the public:

"The Morning Star:

"Dear Sirs—Please say to your readers that the Associated Charities needs funds now and regularly to continue its work. In my statement at our annual meeting some people have thought that we had no need. The finances were carefully managed for last year and we kept within our income by strict economy. But we need funds now and regularly. We are living now on a close margin which will soon be exhausted. We need money now and regularly.

"Yours for the cause and work,
"A. D. McCLURE,
"President."

BLOODHOUNDS FOLLOW THIEF'S TRAIL TO COLORED RESTAURANT

Following Robbery of Mr. Williamson's Hennery Last Night.

Following a report made about 8 o'clock last night by Mr. Luke Williamson, of No. 18 Castle street, that some one had just robbed his henroost of several head of chickens, Officer W. H. Kermon took the city's bloodhounds to the scene of the robbery, and the dogs followed a trail to the restaurant of Sarah Hall, colored, about two blocks distant.

When the officer reached the restaurant there were a number of colored men and women there. A search of the place failed to result in the discovery of the fowls. On groing to the Williamson residence on their way, the officer noticed two women and a man leave the restaurant. The proprietor of the restaurant insisted, however, that these persons had not carried off any chickens with them or brought any to her place.

The Boy is Father to the Man

Old sayings like this are fraught with a most important meaning. And what

will aid the expectant mother in conserving her health, her strength, her mental repose and the absence of vexatious pains is a subject of vast moment. Among the recognized helps is a splendid remedy known as "Mother's Friend." Applied to the muscles it sinks in deeply to make them firm and pliant, it thus lifts the strain on ligaments that produce pain, it lightens the burden on the nervous system, induces calm, restful nights of health-giving sleep and makes the days sunny and happy. Get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" of any druggist and you will then realize why it has been considered true to its name in our best homes through three generations. It is perfectly harmless but so effective that once used it is recommended to all expectant mothers by those who went through the ordeal with surprising ease. By writing to Bradfield Regulator Co., 712 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., you can have a free copy of a wonderful stork book that unfolds those things which all expectant mothers delight to read. Write today.

It is mailed free. Among its features are an explanation of the remedy's action, the first pulsations, prefatory uneasiness, date of expectancy, how to be comfortable, and a great variety of topics all bearing upon the one subject of expectant motherhood. Then there are many letters which describe actual experiences, making of it a guide book of great value. Don't fail to write for this book.

DIED.

SINGLETON — At his home on the Georgetown Road, Brunswick County, near this city, William Singleton, husband of Carrie Singleton, aged 56 years. Burial yesterday (Tuesday) at the family grave yard.

Who Deposits Your Dollars?

It seems strange that some people will insist upon contributing to the growing wealth of everybody but themselves. Somebody is paying you, and you are paying the other fellow. The other fellow is likely running a bank account, and accumulating a certain portion of every dollar you pay.

Where Do You Come In?

Why not save and deposit a portion of your dollars for yourself? Open an account with this bank—any amount will do, to start with.

"OLD AND STRONG"

THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

COR. FRONT AND PRINCESS STREETS.

COMMITTEES NAMED FOR YEAR.

For Various Activities of the Wilson Chamber of Commerce.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., April 25. — President F. N. Bridgers, the newly selected head of the Wilson chamber of commerce, has announced his committees for the year:

Education — John F. Bruton, Chairman; C. L. Coon, George Hackney.

General Welfare — S. H. Anderson, Chairman; U. H. Cozart, Dr. E. T. Dickerson.

Agriculture—W. F. Woodard, Chairman; W. W. Graves, E. F. Killette.

Advertising and Publicity — T. W. Chambliss, Chairman; N. L. Finch, F. M. Miller.

Legislation—T. F. Pettus, Chairman; F. L. Carr, J. C. Eagles.

Manufactures and Industries — Tom. Hackney, Chairman; V. W. Stewart, Graham Woodard.

Transportation — Clarence Coleman, Chairman; Kirby Woodard, W. N. Hackney.

Entertainment — R. A. Turlington, Chairman; W. J. Boykin, R. C. Welfare.

Health and Sanitation—L. J. Herring, Chairman; J. T. Cheatham, Dr. W. H. Anderson.

Membership — J. A. Speirs, Chairman; Dr. H. B. Best, W. L. Banks.

Mercantile Interests—Jonas Oettinger, Chairman; W. N. Harrell, A. B. Carroll.

The Board of Governors for the ensuing year consists of the following: F. N. Bridgers, R. P. Watson, W. J. Davis, J. F. Bruton, S. H. Anderson, W. F. Woodard, T. W. Chambliss, T. F. Pettus, Tom Hackney, Clarence Coleman, R. A. Turlington, L. J. Herring, J. A. Speirs, and Jonas Oettinger.

—There will be a basket picnic at Oak Hill school house on Friday, April 28th Everybody is invited to come and bring baskets. A supper will be served at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, which will be followed by exercises by the children. Refreshments will be served at the close.

$ 100,000.00 Capital
$ 300,000.00 Surplus
$2,800,000.00 Resources

Large resources, thorough organization, complete system, conservative management and careful supervision on the part of our officers to the end that depositors may receive uniform safety, courtesy and consideration, are the factors which have contributed to the growth of this institution—now the largest savings bank in North Carolina.

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company

110 PRINCESS STREET.

"Safety First"

SPRING SALE OF SUITS

was attended yesterday by quite a crowd of eager buyers, and everyone seemed very much pleased with the wonderful bargains we are offering in suits so early in the season. This however is our store policy, to close out each season's suits as they pass and never allow garments to be carried over from one season to the next.

Today will no doubt show even more activity in our Suit Department. Hundreds of ladies anxious to purchase Spring Suits at this marked reduction will continue until every suit is gone.

Every suit offered in this sale is brand new and are this season's most favored styles. Every suit guaranteed to give satisfaction. Alteration free.

Silk Sale Continues Today

BELK-WILLIAMS CO.
DEPARTMENT STORE
210-212 NORTH FRONT STREET

$1.50 Black Tafetta 98c

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Mary E. Cameron has been visiting friends in Raleigh.

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Miss Placide Clark, of Tarboro, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Haughton James, No. 1507 Market street.

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On account of the Darst-Hardin wedding at St. James' Episcopal church this afternoon, the Wilmington public library will be closed from 4:30 to 7 o'clock.

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Friends of Miss Mary Miranda will be glad to learn that her health is somewhat improved after having been confined to her home for some days on account of serious illness.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Auxiliary committee to the Salvation Army for rescue work will be held at the army headquarters this morning at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Chas. M. Alexander will meet with the committee.

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The ladies having charge of the supper to be served at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow evening to the business girls of the city request that all those expecting to attend send notice to the Y. W. C. A. today before noon. Mrs. Chas. M. Alexander will attend the meeting and make a short address.

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Announcements reading as follows have been sent to friends in the city and elsewhere:

Mr. William H. Duls
announces the marriage of his sister
Marguerite Katharine
to
Mr. John C. Wagner, Jr.
Tuesday, April twenty-fifth
Nineteen hundred and sixteen
Wilmington, North Carolina
At Home:
after May fifteenth
120 Nun street.

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DARST-HARDIN WEDDING AT ST. JAMES' THIS AFTERNOON

The marriage of Rt. Rev. Thomas C. Darst, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina, and Miss Lauriston Hardin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hardin, will take place this afternoon at 5 o'clock at St. James' Episcopal church in Wilmington, and will be one of the most interesting weddings of the Easter season in this city. Since the announcement of the engagement some months ago, there has been much entertaining in this city in honor of the Bishop and his bride-to-be. After a wedding journey they will make their home at "The Bishop's House," this city.

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DR. JOHN B. LeGWIN WEDS MISS M'CULLEN, OF DURHAM.

A wedding of much interest to a wide circle of friends in this city and elsewhere was solemnized yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents in Durham when Miss Mary McCullen, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Alpheus McCullen, became the bride of Dr. John B. LeGwin, of this city. The ceremony was performed by the father of the bride, who is pastor of Trinity Methodist church in that city.

The parlor, where the vows were said, was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and Easter lilies. Miss Alice Hundley played the wedding music and Miss Delay Herndon sang "At Dawning." There were no attendants.

The bride wore a traveling suit of biscuit color with hat and gloves to match and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. Immediately after the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. LeGwin left for Wilmington, arriving in this city last evening. They are living at No. 409 Orange street.

The bride is well known in this city, her father having formerly been pastor of Fifth Avenue Methodist church, and has many friends here. Dr. LeGwin is a well known young physician in this city.

Those attending the wedding from Wilmington were Misses Elizabeth LeGwin and E. B. LeGwin and Mr. D. K. LeGwin.

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MISS McINTOSH TO BECOME BRIDE OF MR. WEATHERSPOON

Of interest to a host of friends in Wilmington and this section of the State will be the announcement of the marriage of Miss Montie McIntosh, an attractive young woman of this city, and Mr. J. A. Weatherspoon, a well-known and popular young real estate and insurance man of Sanford, N. C., the ceremony to take place at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. George S. Boylan, No. 9 North Fourth street, this city.

It will be a very quiet wedding in accord with the wishes of the bride and groom and the marriage vows will be given by the Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Wilmington. No invitations have been issued, and the ceremony will be witnessed only by members of the families interested and a few very intimate friends. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Weatherspoon will leave for a bridal trip south, returning from which in about ten days, they will be at home to friends in Sanford.

Miss McIntosh is a graduate nurse of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, this city, and for the past several years has been engaged in private nursing in Wilmington, where she is very popular. The groom is a prominent business man of his city, and both he and the bride will carry with them to their new home the very best wishes of a host of friends.

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MISS MARGUERITE DULS IS BRIDE OF MR. J. C. WAGNER, JR.

At the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. J. G. L. Gieschen, No. 106 Red Cross street, Miss Marguerite Duls and Mr. J. C. Wagner, Jr., were married yesterday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock. On account of a recent death in the family, the wedding was a quiet affair and only the immediate family were present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church.

Miss Augusta Gieschen was maid of honor, and was dressed in white, carrying Easter lilies, while the bride, who was given away by her uncle, Mr. Gieschen, was attired in a coat suit and carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. The groom was accompanied by his brother, Mr. Charles Wagner, who was best man. As the bridal party entered the parlor, where the vows were said, Mrs. E. Schulken, who presided at the piano, played the "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin, and during the ceremony rendered softly the "Traumeri."

The parlor and the other rooms in the home had been most attractively decorated for the occasion with palms, bamboo and cut flowers by Mr. Will Rehder, the florist.

Immediately after the ceremony, an informal reception was held at the home. Mr. and Mrs. Wagner left on the 6:45 train for the North.

After May 15th they will be at home to their friends at No. 120 Nun street.

The bride is a young woman of charming personality, who is popular with a wide circle of friends. The groom is connected with the firm of James & James, Inc., real estate brokers, and is a young business man of fine ability.

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DELIGHTFUL EASTER DANCE BY L'ARIOSO GERMAN CLUB

The Easter dance at the Cape Fear Country Club last evening by the L'Arioso German Club was a most delightful affair. Music was furnished by Grainger's orchestra. The decorations were most beautiful and attractive. Special cars were provided by the Tidewater Power Company for those attending. A light supper was served at midnight.

The patronesses for the dance were: Mrs. J. V. Grainger, Mrs. P. L. Bridgers, Mrs. John D. Bellamy, Mrs. Hugh MacRae, Mrs. W. A. Dick, Mrs. W. B. Thorpe and Mrs. E. C. Holt.

The couples dancing included the following: Misse Beulah Armstrong, Baltimore, Mr., and Mr. E. M. Hardin; Miss Placide Clark, Tarboro, and Mr. Theodore S. James; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Thorpe; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Storm; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacRae; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Grainger; Miss Nannie Lee, of Raleigh, and Mr. J. M. James; Miss Carolyn Holmes and Mr. R. L. Henley; Miss Barbara Dozier and Mr. H. C. Calder; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harriss; Miss Almeria Stevenson and Mr. G. W. Harriss, of Henderson; Miss Martin and Mr. R. W. Cantwell; Miss Gilchrist and Mr. J. L. Wright; Miss Mary Alexander, of Augusta, Ga., and Mr. A. F. Perry; Miss Louise Wise and Mr. Emmett Bellamy; Miss Katherine Taylor and Mr. W. M. Parsley, of Ruthefordton; Miss Miriam Holladay and Mr. George Clark; Miss Albright and Dr. J. F. Robertson; Miss Madeleine DeRosset and Mr. St. Julian L. Springs, Lake Waccamaw; Miss Nellie Ellis and Mr. John Murchison; Miss Mary Bellamy and Mr. J. D. Taylor; Miss Gladys Large and Mr. B. O'Neill; Miss Gladys Taylor and Mr. E. H. Holmes; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Skelding; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Wright; Lieutenant and Mrs. P. H. Herman.

Stags—Messrs. T. S. Payne, C. D. Hogue and C. U. Hill.

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OLIVER-TAYLOR WEDDING AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

One of the most beautiful of the Easter weddings in Wilmington was that of Miss Virginia Taylor, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Walker Taylor, and Mr. David Oliver in the First Presbyterian church yesterday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The large auditorium of the church was filled with the friends of the family. Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the church, performed the impressive ring ceremony.

Before the entrance of the bridal party Mrs. Meares Harriss played several selections on the violin including Gounod's "Ave Maria," and "O Perfect Day." The "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin was played by Mr. E. H. Munson as the bridal party came up the center aisle of the church and during the ceremony Mrs. Harriss played softly "I Love You Truly." Mendelssohn's wedding march was used for the recessional. Mr. Munson, organist of the church, was the accompanist for the different selections given by Mrs. Harriss.

The church was beautifully decorated for the wedding with Easter lilies, palms, bamboo and other greenery, the color scheme being green and white.

The first to enter the church were the five ushers, Messrs. Walker Taylor, Jr., Thomas S. Payne, Cyrus D. Hogue, C. U. Hill and W. M. Parsley. Next came the first bridesmaid, Miss Lucy Williams, of Red Springs, followed by Messrs. H. L. Smith, of Georgetown, S. C., and Albert Perry and Misses Kate Northrop and Juliette Albright. Next were Messrs. Douglas Taylor and S. W. Cunningham, of Macon, Ga., and Misses Anne Wirz, of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mary Bellamy. Next came the maid of honor, Miss Katherine Taylor, sister of the bride. The bride came next with her father. The groom and his best man, Mr. K. O. Burgwin, met the bride at the altar, where the vows were said.

The maid of honor was gowned in white tulle with a hat of white georgette crepe and carried pink roses tied with blue tulle. The bridesmaids were dressed in white tulle with pale blue ribbons and carried baskets of forget-me-nots with sweetheart roses in the center.

The bride was lovely in a gown of white satin and lace embroidered in silver with train of brocaded crepe, being a creation of Arther Morris, of Norfolk, Va. She wore a veil of tulle and real lace caught with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. She wore no ornaments.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was given in honor of the bride and groom at the home of Col. and Mrs. Taylor, No. 714 Market street. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver left last night for an automobile trip and later will visit several Northern cities. They will go to Charleston by steamer and from this point to Georgetown, S. C., where they will visit relatives of the groom.

The wedding of these two popular young people was one of the leading social events of the spring season in Wilmington and during the past few weeks a number of entertainments were given in their honor. On Monday afternoon Miss Juliette Albright entertained in honor of the bridal party at her home, No. 114 South Third street. Monday morning Miss Miriam Holladay entertained a number of friends in honor of the wedding.

On Saturday evening a very delightful stag supper was given at the Cape Fear Country Club. The affair was given in honor of the groom. Those present were Messrs. K. O. Burgwin, C. U. Hill, T. S. Payne, A. F. Perry, S. W. Cunningham, of Macon, Ga.; H. L. Smith, of Georgetown, S. C.; W. M. Parsley, of Rutherfordton; Douglas Taylor, Walker Taylor, Jr., W. L. Hill, of Raleigh; C. D. Hogue and the groom, Mr. D. S. Oliver.

On Monday evening Mr. Douglas Taylor gave an enjoyable supper to the wedding party at the Cape Fear Country Club. The guests included Misses Virginia Taylor, Katherine Taylor, Kate Northrop, Mary Bellamy, Juliette Albright, Anne Wirz, of Philadelphia; Lucy Williams, of Red Springs, and Messrs. David Oliver, K. O. Burgwin, C. U. Hill, T. S. Payne, A. F. Perry, S. W. Cunningham, of Macon, Ga.; H. L. Smith, of Georgetown, S. C.; W. M. Parsley, of Rutherfordton; Douglas Taylor, Walker Taylor, Jr., of Princeton; W. L. Hill, of Raleigh; Preston Cumming, of New York, and Cyrus D. Hogue. After the supper there was an informal dance given in which the wedding party and a number of the guests participated.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mrs. E. S. Oliver, mother of the groom, Athens, Ga.; Messrs. Perrin C. Cothran, of Richmond, Va.; John F. Hoff, of Raleigh; J. Miller Robertson, of Augusta, Ga.; Jefferson Pearce, of New York, Hugh Oliver, of Georgetown, S. C., and Preston Cumming, uncle of the bride, of New York.

HOLLWEG ENDEAVORS TO GET CLEAR IDEA OF AMERICAN POLICY

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newspaper correspondents deprecated the publication of reports that official dispatches to the State Department from Ambassador Gerard indicated that Germany might make concessions to the United States in reply to the note demanding the immediate abandonment of present methods of conducting submarine warfare. He said official dispatches to the department from Berlin contained only quotations of newspaper opinions, similar in many cases to the editorial excerps cabled to this country in press dispatches.

The latest dispatch received from Mr. Gerard, Secretary Lansing said, was dated before the imperial chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, had returned from a visit to the emperor at the front and had conferred with the ambassador.

It is understood here that one of the objects of the various conferences between officials of the Berlin foreign office and Ambassador Gerard had been to make it plain that there would be no avoidable delay in responding to the American note demanding immediate action.

Dublin, Ga., April 25.—No trace had been found here tonight of the assailant who last night shot from ambush at W. L. Veal, well-to-do farmer of this section. Posses were searching today for the son of Ennis Daniels, a negro, recently killed by Veal. A small mob today beat several negroes and burned a negro lodge hall in the vicinity.

NEED FUNDS FOR HOSPITAL

Wilmington Babies Will be Given Treatment During Summer Months Free of Charge.

The hospital that will be maintained in Wilmington during the summer months beginning May 1st is a work that will appeal to every person, interested in the younger generation and it is gratifying to the committee which has charge of the noble undertaking that the citizens are rallying to their support with commendable zeal. It will take not less than $2,000 to carry on the work during the five months when children's diseases are most prevalent.

The hospital will be located at No. 422 South Front street. A large part of the equipment needed was secured last year when a number of babies were treated at the James Walker Memorial Hospital. Although the work was started late in the season, the lives of many babies were saved through the proper treatment of diseases which are especially prevalent during the summer months.

That many babies die annually because of a lack of proper treatment for sickness is the statement of physicians, who are acquainted with conditions. Many of the parents are unable to afford the treatment needed unless their more fortunate neighbors aid them and this hospital provides an admirable means of furnishing the necessary treatment.

In many cities throughout the country, baby hospitals are maintained. Splendid results have been accomplished, notably in Baltimore, where the citizens have rallied splendid to its support.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the local hospital are now soliciting funds and they hope that everyone desiring to co-operate will make a contribution. While the equipment has already been secured, most of it having been donated by people in the city, the committee is in need of funds with which to provide nurses and medicines.

Mrs. G. H. Croom is secretary and treasurer for the committee and Dr. C. L. Pridgen is chairman. The other member of the committee are Mrs. C. L. Pridgen, Miss Marie Grainger and Dr. J. B. Sidbury.

Washington, April 25.—The Senate today adopted the House joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of Labor to permit the South Carolina Naval Militia to use the Charleston Immigration station as an armory.

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If you are bothered with any cutaneous blemish, it's a poor plan to use paint, powder or anything else to cover it up. Too often this only emphasizes the defect. Besides, it's much easier to remove the disfigurement with ordinary mercolized wax. Applied nightly, the wax will gradually remove freckles, pimples, moth patches, liver spots, sallowness, red blotches, or any surface eruption. The affected cuticle is absorbed, a little each day, until the clear, soft, youthful and beautiful skin beneath is brought wholly to view. Ask the druggist for one ounce of mercolized wax and use this like you use cold cream. Remove in morning with soap and water. Many who have tried this simple, harmless treatment report astonishing results.

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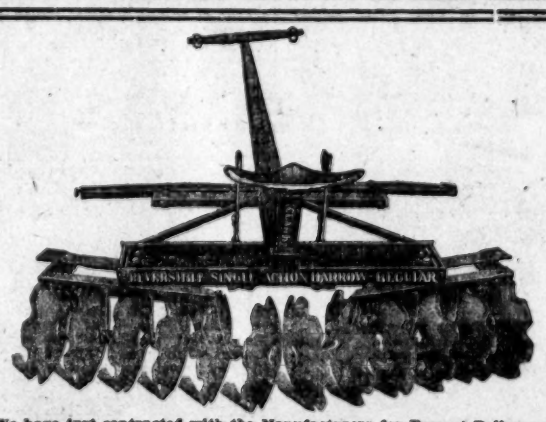

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HUNDREDS MOVED TO TAKE DEFINITE STAND FOR CHRIST

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Deuteronomy 30:19. He spoke in part as follows:

"Moses was a wonderful man. Whether you consider him a poet or as a leader of men he is alike great. He has come to the close of his remarkable career. He is rehearsing the past to the people whom he has so wonderfully led, and he is drawing before them a picture of the future. The leadership is to be transferred to Joshua whom God has had in training, and the climax of the appeal of Moses is as follows:

"'I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore, choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live.' Deutoronomy 30:19.

"I come before you at this time with a great desire in my heart. I have no time for the discussion of philosophy, although it is at certain times well worth while. This is not a moment for argument because you know the result as well as I. I have no theories to present to you, for the finest theories of men have never yet stopped a flowing tear nor eased an aching heart. It is the time for the eternal choice, and as I look out before me this audience vanishes and I think of the time when I must stand before the judgment seat of Christ, and render an account for the way I have spoken, and when you must face God and render an account for the way you have listened.

The Record.

"It is my desire first of all to make it plain to you that when Moses uses the word 'record', he suggests to us the noun as well as the verb, and I would speak to you for a little while of your record. There are two records made of a life of sin. The one is in heaven, and in the description of the last judgment, it is said, 'and the books were opened,' and men were judged according to their works.

"Inasmuch as the record of sin is also made in a human life, these two records, the one in heaven and the other in the life of the one who is standing for judgment must agree; therefore, without Christ there is no hope, and we will be of all men most miserable. But there is a record of sin made here which should always serve as a warning.

"I remember an incident in my early ministry when a young man with bright business prospects was called into the office of the firm of which he was a member and was told that because of his intemperate habits he would be obliged to leave the firm at once, that he was injuring them. He begged for another trial, and it was given him, but a few months later he was summoned again into the presence of the senior partner and was handed a check which represented his financial interests. His life from that time on was one continual debauch. He fell lower and lower until one morning his body was found floating in the Hudson river, and he was dead. His old father, a minister, used to walk the streets of the city after that, always with downcast eyes and trembling tread, and at last died himself of a broken heart. And it would seem to me that inasmuch as we see the record of sin here, and it is so terrible, and inasmuch as we are told that we must meet the record there if we do not repent, it is the height of folly to continue in the way of the transgressor. So I call your attention today to these two records and bid you turn to Christ.

Life and Death.

"In this appeal of Moses life and death are both set before us. I used to think that these represented two ways, that is, that they ran parallel, or slightly divergent, but now I believe that two ways are just one way, that if you travel in one direction it means life, and if you travel in the opposite direction it means death. Going one way we are leaving God, traveling the other way we are approaching Him. This presents to me the thought of conversion. It is right-about face. It is a sincere and honest repentance, which means turning from sin with God's help.

Choose Life.

"We may choose it if we will. God has given us the power of choice. We are all free moral agents, and have the ability to choose either the right or the wrong. If God had made us otherwise we would not have been men and women whose lives would be worth while. Surely there are reasons enough why we should choose life. I would suggest the following:

"Because it is life. A friend of mine one night stepped into the Pacific Garden mission in Chicago and listened for a little while to the thrilling testimonies and the inspiring music. He then heard the leader call upon certain men to testify, and as this man left his seat in the center of the room my friend heard two of the drunken men in the audience talking and one said to the other, 'He is getting paid for this,' meaning he would get a night's lodging. When the man who had gone forward began to speak it was as follows: 'Boys,' he said, 'I came to Chicago, after having ruined my life. I have a fine old father in New England and a beautiful sister. I was so wicked that my father asked me to leave home and suggested that I should change my name, for I had dishonored his. After being in Chicago a little while, when I was considering ending my life, I came into this mission, and a little while ago I accepted Christ. I wrote a letter to my father telling him, and he has asked me to come home. As I came down the aisle a moment ago I heard two men talking, and one said that I was getting paid for this, and so I am, for tonight at midnight I leave for my New England home, and my sister has written me that every day since I began to wander she has prayed for me. Thank God, I am getting paid, for I am going home.'

"Because this life I present to you is better than the world can give, I ask you to choose it. When the elder Mr. Vanderbilt was dying Dr. Charles F. Deans, his pastor, sat opposite him and Mr. Vanderbilt said to his minister, 'Dr. Deans, I wish you might sing,' and his pastor said, 'What shall I sing?' 'Oh,' said he, 'there is but one song for a time like this,' and those two men, the one dying and the other ministering comfort to him, began singing, 'Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy.' Mr. Vanderbilt was worth his millions, but wealth profited him little at such a moment as this.

"Because it is better than anything unbelief can give you. Unbelief deceives you in life and mocks you in death. Unbelief obscures your vision of Jesus Christ while you are alive and well and deprives you of His presence when you are reaching the end of life's journey. Unbelief takes away from you the hope of meeting your loved ones in the skies and leaves you full of wretchedness and despair. Therefore choose life.

"Crossing the Alps you will frequently see here and there a little black cross and your guide will tell you that this black cross marks the spot where some one is slipping to death; and I am wondering what is to be your decision here and now, and if where you are sitting there could be placed a black cross signifying that you or someone at that spot had rejected Christ.

"In one of our meetings a friend of mine, when I was using this illustration, saw a man in front of her lean forward and heard him say, 'Oh, God, I will accept,' and she said, 'I am wondering if there could not be placed there a red mark signifying his conversion.' So I ask you which shall it be, black for rejection or red for acceptance, and I plead with you choose life."

ALIENISTS TESTIFY.

As to Sanity of Mrs. Ida Rogers When She Poisoned Her Children.

New York, April 25. — Evidences of alienists was presented today, both by the prosecution and the defense, in the trial of Mrs. Ida Sniffen Rogers, charged with the murder of her two tchildren before Lorlys Elton Rogers was divorced by his wife and married her.

Counsel for the defendant contended she was insane when she poisoned her babies, and this view was supported by the testimony of Dr. Graeme M. Hammond. Three mental experts, sworn by the prosecution after the defense had rested, contended, however, that Mrs. Rogers' mind was not clouded, and that she knew the nature of her act.

The case is expected to go to the jury late tomorrow.

MORGENTHAU RESIGNS.

Abram I. Elkus, of New York, May be Chosen Envoy to Turkey.

Washington, April 25.—Henry Morgenthau, American ambassador to Turkey, has tendered his resignation to President Wilson and it probably will be accepted. Abram I. Elkus, a New York lawyer, is expected to succeed him.

New York ,April 25.—The Worthington Pump & Machinery Corporation, recently organized under the laws of Virginia, was today declared the successor in ownership of the properties of the International Steampump Company, the plan of the joint re-organization committee having become effective.

CHAPMANISMS

This is a day of eternal choice.

Today if ye will hear His voice, harden not your hearts.

Behold, now is the accepted time.

There are but two places of abode in Eternity; one for the saved, the other for the lost. I alone have the power to say what my Eternity shall be.

In this world we have a choice of life or death. There is no middle ground.

It is life at its best that we may choose.

It is life which means continual victory over sin.

It is life which means that we are a blessing to others.

It is life which means that the world is better because we live in it.

It is death to all that is great and good.

It is death to strength of character.

It is death to power of will.

It is death not only to ourselves, but to others.

The life we may choose is better than anything that earthly success can give us.

It is better than anything that wealth can give us.

It is better than anything that unbelief can give us.

Keep this in mind constantly, that for every day that choice is deferred, we grow less able to choose the right.

There is no time like the day of revival for turning to God.

Life is just one long journey; going in one direction we are s. ved; going in the opposite direction, we are lost.

To be saved is to right-about face.

When one is so s rry for his sin that he gives it up, this is repentance.

"Seek ye the Lord while He may be found; call ye upon Him while He is near."

—From night sermon by Dr. Chapman, at the Tabernacle last night.

This Song Will be Sung Tonight at the Chapman-Alexander Revival Meeting at The Tabernacle.

Don't Stop Praying.

R. R. W. EDNA R. WORRELL

1. Don't stop praying! the Lord is nigh; Don't stop praying! he'll hear your cry;
2. Don't stop praying for ev-'ry need, Don't stop praying! the Lord will heed;
3. Don't stop praying when led to sin; Don't stop praying that god may win;
4. Don't stop praying when bow'd with grief; Don't stop praying! you'll get re-lief;
5. Don't stop praying but have more trust; Don't stop praying! for pray we must;
God has promised, and he is true; Don't stop praying! he'll answer you.
No pe-ti-tion to him is small; Don't stop praying! he'll give you all.
Christ was tempted and understands; Don't stop praying! he'll hold your hands.
Troubles nev-er es-cape God's sight; Don't stop praying! he'll make it right,
Faith will ban-ish a mount of care; Don't stop praying! God answers prayer.

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Don't Stop Praying.

This is one of the simplest and yet one of the strongest gospel songs, it is easy to learn and hard to forget. It was written by Miss Edna R. Worrell just after long continued prayer was answered. The words and music flashed into her mind as she sat at the breakfast table and she wrote them out the same day.

Whenever I use that song I have printed along with it this story from my own experience:

"I was standing at a bank corner in Liverpool, England, waiting for a clerk to come. I picked up a pen and began to print on a blotter in large letters two words which had gripped me like a vise, 'pray through.' I kept talking to a friend, and printing until I had the big blotter filled from top to bottom with a column of the words. I transacted my business and went away. A business man came into the bank discouraged with business troubles. He started to transact some business with the same clerk over that blotter, when his eye caught the long column, 'pray through.' He asked who wrote these words and when told he exclaimed: 'That is the very message I needed. I will pray through; I have strength and have merely mentioned my troubles to God. Now I am going to pray the situation through until I get the light.'"

Charles M. Alexander
II Timothy 2:15

ROTARIANS HEAR DR. CHAPMAN

Club Will Form Delegation to Attend Services at Tabernacle—Closer Co-Operation Desired.

"I have found that the best community is where the business men have the broadest view of the needs of humanity," Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, the famous evangelist, told the members of the Wilmington Rotary Club yesterday at their luncheon in the Y. M. C. A. Dr. Chapman declared that there were enough men present to make Wilmington the City it ought to be, if they would join hands and work together.

Dr. Chapman had been invited to attend the luncheon as the guest of the club and very kindly consented to speak for a few minutes. Explaining briefly how he had become engaged in his present evangelistic work, Dr. Chapman then pointed out some of the things that he considered essential for real success. A man has a right to get rich, he declared, but he has no right to utilize all his wealth for his own needs nor has the man who trains his mind a right to use it solely for his own pleasure.

"The more you give of your time, of your means and of your influence to others, the more you have for yourself," he declared in speaking on the importance of service. He stated that he would be very glad to have the Rotary Club attend in a body a meeting at the Tabernacle. He pointed out that he did not appeal either to the emotions or to the fears but to the best that there is in a man.

It was unanimously voted by the club that the members should form a delegation to attend the services at the Tabernacle on Friday night. The Rotarians will meet at the Y. M. C. A. at 7:30 o'clock and go direct to the Tabernacle.

President Roger Moore suggested that it would be a good thing if the different civic organizations of the city would co-operate more closely in public movements. This would give them greater weight, he pointed out, and would make it possible to get more accomplished. Mr. Moore was authorized to take up the matter with the Chamber of Commerce, the Merchants' Association, Sorosis and other organizations with the idea of having each one appoint a member of a committee which should work together.

Mr. Will Rehder, chairman of the committee to render such assistance to the Baltimore & Carolina Steamship Company, reported that an investigation had been made. Inasmuch as the Chamber of Commerce is now working to the same end the committee was continued.

A committee was appointed to find out how many Wilmington Rotarians can go to Richmond on May 2nd when the Rotary Club of that city will entertain delegations from a number of cities in this State and Virginia. Wilmington will likely send a score or more Rotarians to the meeting.

A letter was read from Mr. Allen D. Albert, president of the International Association of Rotary Clubs, who stated that as he would be in Wilmington on May 22nd to deliver a lecture under the auspices of the Redpath Chautauqua he would be glad to meet the local Rotarians. He also expressed the hope that he might be able to meet the city officials to discuss with them the local needs of the municipality. His lecture will be on the general subject, "What Our Town Needs."

Mr. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., presided at the meeting yesterday and Mr. T. R. Ames acted as secretary in the absence of Secretary Meares Harriss.

CHAPMAN-ALEXANDER MEETINGS FOR TODAY

3:30 p. m.—First Baptist church: meeting for young people, conducted by Rev. C. T. Schaeffer.

3:30 p. m.—Tabernacle: (Mothers' Day). Dr. Chapman will preach a special sermon to mothers. Everybody invited.

7:30 p. m.—Tabernacle: General meeting.

TAGGART WILL ACCEPT

If the Indiana Democrats Want Him to Make Race for Senatorship.

Indianapolis, April 25.—If Senator Thomas G. Taggart is nominated for United States Senator for the short term by the Democratic state convention, he wil laccept the honor. He made this statement tonight:

"If the Democrats tomorrow decide that I shall make the race for United States Senator I shall accept with pleasure. However, I have not given up hope that I may yet persuade them to heed my personal wishes and nominate some one else."

DTMOCRATS IN HOUSE EXERCISE AUTHORITY AND OVER-RIDE MANN

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Guard strength, and depends upon dual enlistment in war time.

In the regular army features the Senate provides for a complete reorganization of the standing army including the bureaus of the War Department. The House bill merely adds so many regiments to the various arms of the service as they now exist.

Differences are shown also in enlistment provisions, proposals as to creation of adequate reserve systems for the regulars, questions of personal and many technical features. Indications are that a considerable time will be required before agreement can be reached in conference.

Chapman-Alexander Meetings

The great Chapman-Alexander meetings having already begun in Wilmington and a large number of people having availed themselves of the reduced rate of 60 cents offered for daily subscription for the six weeks covering the opening and close of the meeting, it has now been decided for those who are non-subscribers and have not yet sent in their subscription to send the paper for the remaining five weeks of the meeting at only 50 cents, until the close of the series. This is lower than our regular rates, but the paper desires to assist in giving full scope to the influence of the meetings and at the same time in this way to answer many inquiries for special subscription rates to the paper during this period. If you wish the paper yourself or sent to a friend during this period, 50 cents enclosed in an envelope or left at the office will ensure proper delivery of the paper to any address.

TABERNACLE NOTES

(Contributed).

"It is appointed unto men once to die, and after that the judgment."

The Lunch Room generously provided by the Y. W. C. A. is hardly patronized so well as it should be, when the quality of refreshments and low prices at which they are offered are taken into consideration.

Mr. Alexander worked his chair hard last night, but harder they are worked the better the choir seems to like it. Their finest effort of the evening was in "Beulah Land," in which the parts blended evenly, and produced an effect that brought a smile to the face of the song-leader.

It was announced at last night's meeting that the Women's Rest Room which adjoins the Tabernacle, will be converted into a nursery, where mothers may leave their babies under the care of competent nurses and thus be free to attend the service in the Tabernacle.

Dr. J. M. Wells sent up a request to Mr. Alexander that the "Ivory Palaces" might be sung for the special benefit of the Clarkton people. Mr. Alexander said that as Dr. Wells didn't often send up a request, they would have to agree to it, and "Ivory Palaces" proved to be one of the best pieces of the evening.

Along with the requests for prayer, Dr. Chapman read out the following letter from a business man in Raleigh: "Urge the people to send away the newspapers. Great numbers of people in Raleigh are reading about the meetings. They are reading the sermons, the stories, and singing the songs, and Raleigh is being very greatly blessed."

Today is known in revival circles as Mothers' Day. A special service will be conducted in the Tabernacle this afternoon at 3:30 p. m., when Dr. Chapman will deliver a special message to mothers, from the text: "Take this child, and bring him up, and I will give thee wages." It is requested that everybody will today wear a white flower in memory of the mothers.

Among the many people who came forward to take Dr. Chapman by the hand last night, was every member of the delegation of legal men, and also the whole company of the Wilmington Light Infantry. Cards were afterwards passed through their section, so that many of the men who were making a decision for the first time, might duly record their names.

It is announced that no further collections will be taken at the Tabernacle for the purpose of defraying the local expenses of the campaign. Over $3,000 has been subscribed through the collections taken in the meetings, and although this is only a little over half the amount necessary for the local cost of the campaign, certain liberal citizens have generously offered to assume the responsibility for the balance.

The "Chapman-Alexander Male Quartette" has dwindled into a trio. One member of the youthful vocalists has been missing for some time, and it has transpired that he is suffering from an attack of mumps, but he has sent in a special request that his place in the "quartette" be held for him. Meantime, the remaining three keep the flag flying, and in a verse of "He Will Hold Me Fast," which Mr. Alexander asked them to sing last night, they demonstrated that they have lost nothing in lung power, and lack nothing in spirit.

Four delegations were included in last night's audience at the Tabernacle. Over one hundred people from Clarkton were formally welcomed by Dr. Chapman and accorded a hearty reception by the audience. The Camp Fire Boys and Girls and Boy Scouts also came in for their share of the greeting. A number of members of the legal profession attended in a body, and Dr. Chapman especially thanked them for coming. He also cordially welcomed the large delegation of the Wilmington Light Infantry, who made an imposing entry, marching down the aisles in uniform, while the choir sang "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Dr. W. H. Milton made a special announcement at last night's service, in which he drew attention to the importance of the afternoon services in teh Tabernacle, at which Dr. Chapman is preaching a series of sermons which no Christian man or woman should miss. He also stated that when Dr. Chapman was in Roanoke some years ago, he preached a sermon entitled, "The Second Mile," that made a deep impression upon the people. At his (Dr. Milton's) request, Dr. Chapman will preach this sermon at the Tabernacle on Thursday night.

The Pocket Testament League met with a splendid inauguration at last night's meeting. The strength of this movement lies in its simplicity. It is adaptable to young and old, rich and poor, and appeals to people of all classes. Its code of rules embraces only two conditions—the carrying of a Bible or Testament, and the reading each day of at least one chapter in the Bible. At the close of Mrs. Alexander's address, cards were passed through the audience for those who wished to become members, and a large number of signed cards were afterwards collected by the ushers from people who had decided to begin carrying a copy of the Word of God, as well as reading a chapter a day.

The first part of last night's service was devoted to the presentation of the Pocket Testament League, a movement for not only reading but carrying the Word of God, which has grown into one of the geratest Bible-reading associations in the world. The prayer with which Mr. Alexander began his song service had some bearing upon it. Then, the hymn, "Take it Wherever You Go," which is the campaign song of the League, made a fitting prelude to the subject. In a fifteen-minute address Mrs. Alexander presented the aims and objects of the Pocket Testament League, her clear-carrying voice with its soft English accent, penetrating to the farthest corner of the building, and holding the great audience in closest attention.

CAROLINA PEOPLE TELL OF STOMACH REMEDY

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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION AND GENERAL PRIMARY.

Notice is hereby given of the General Primary in the County of New Hanover on the first Saturday in June, it being the 3rd day of June, 1916.

Said primary will be held during the hours (between sunrise and sunset) and in the manner prescribed by law, and at the places hereinafter named.

Registration books will be opened April 27th and remain open up to and including May 20th, subject to Section Five, Chapter 101, "An Act to Provide for Primary Elections Throughout the State."

The polling places, and the names of the Registrars and Judges of Election fixed for the aforesaid primary and general election are as follows:

For General Primary, June 3, 1916.

Cape Fear Precinct—Polling place, Johnson's store; Registrar, J. H. Johnson; Judges, W. O. Rhodes, Jr., J. H. Winders.

Seven Mile Post Precinct — Polling place, Farrow's store; Registrar, N. E. Farrow; Judges, Gerrit Walker, W. O. West.

Masonboro Precinct — Polling place, Hewlett's Creek; Registrar, Walter Horne; Judges, J. B. Piner, Addison Hewlett.

Federal Point Precinct—Polling place, Burnett's store; Registrar, T. J. Burnett; Judges, J. A. Biddle, Hanks Williams.

Winter Park Precinct—Polling place, High's store; Registrar, A. H. High; Judges, R. T. Sinclair, Hardy Freeman.

Sea Gate — Polling place, Rodger's store; Registrar, L. Larkins; Judges, G. W. Westbrook, Geo. Rodgers.

First Ward — Polling place, Engine House, Fourth and Campbell; Registrar, W. H. Howe; Judges, James Elkins, R. J. Darden, Sr.

Second Ward—Polling place, Court House; Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, D. H. Howes, Jr., W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward—Polling place, Giblem Lodge, up stairs; Registrar, A. G. Hankins; Judges, H. E. Bonitz, Coy Hewelett.

Fourth Ward—Polling place, McClellan's stables; Registrar, J. B. King; Judges, T. D. Love, S. Zeigler.

First Division Fifth Ward—Polling place, New Engine House; Registrar, J. E. Taylor; Judges, A. W. Branch, Thos. Lawson.

Second Division Fifth Ward—Polling place, Old Engine House; Registrar, T. G. Landen; Judges, J. B. Fales, Wm. Creasy.

Sixth Ward—Polling place, Mann's store; Registrar, J. F. Mann; Judges, W. I. Holt, W. A. Woods.

C. W. WOODWARD,
Chairman Board of Elections.

COUNTY SOLICITOR.

Wilmington, N. C., April 15, 1916.

I herewith beg to place my name before the Democratic voters of New Hanover County, as a candidate for the office of County Solicitor, in the Primary to be held June 3rd, 1916, requesting their support and assuring them that, if elected, I will perform the duties of that office impartially and to the best of my ability.

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FOR SHERIFF
Geo. C. Jackson

To the Voters of New Hanover County:

My name will be presented for your consideration at Primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd.

GEO. C. JACKSON.

ap16-49t

FOR SHERIFF

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned begs the privilege of placing before you once again his candidacy for Sheriff, to be voted upon at the primary, June 3rd. I seek this honor at your hands, standing upon my service of the past many years, and will appreciate deeply your support, promising at all times to make faithful returns of duty and to have an eye for the welfare of the entire community.

Respectfully,
ap8 to je3 B. P. COWAN.

R. C. Fergus for Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County. Subject to the will of the voters to be expressed in the primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd, 1916, if elected will endeavor to serve all the people to the best of my ability without control of any person or persons. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

ap 22-t-je-3. R. C. FERGUS.

FOR RECORDER
BROOKE G. EMPIE

I herewith present my name to the voters of New Hanover County for the office of Recorder, to be voted on at the primary to be held June 3rd, 1916.

It will greatly gratify me to have all my old friends' support and I will thank them for any efforts in my behalf in getting some new friends to aid them in nominating me for the office.

Let lawyers interpret the law.

ap14-30t BROOKE G. EMPIE.

FOR SHERIFF.

I announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County, and respectfully solicit the kind consideration and support of the voters at the Primary on June 3rd.

Be sure to see that you are registered, and vote for

Yours truly,

ap16-30t JOS. H. WATTERS.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned hereby announces himself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, in the Primary Election to be held June 3rd, 1916.

I shall endeavor to serve you as efficiently in the future as I have in the past. Respectfully,

ap20-45t* JOHN HAAR.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner in the Primary election, June 3rd, 1916. W. E. YOPP.

ap23-40t

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby place my name before the Democratic voters of New Hanover County as candidate for County Commissioner, in the primary to be held June 3d, 1916, promising, if elected, to perform the duties of Commissioner to the best of my ability.

ap23-42t WM. E. WORTH.

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Special Notice

All members of the Junior Order United American Mechanics, Independent Order Odd Fellows, Daughters of Liberty and Daughters of Rebecca are requested to meet at the Odd Fellow Building, N. W. corner 3rd and Princess sts., at 7 P. M. Wednesday, April 26th, 1916, and march to the Chapman-Alexander Tabernacle for Divine Service. A section will be reserved for them and we expect a large attendance.

E. ROSCOE HALL,
W. J. BRADSHAW,
C. W. HEWLETT,
Committee Jeff. Davis Council, No. 63, Jr. O. U. A. M.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON STEADY AT RISE

Trade Interests Active Buyers of Both May and July Contracts—Close 3 to 7 Points Higher.

New York, April 27.7—There was a sharp early advance in today's cotton market owing to the small number of notices issued against May contracts, with July selling up to 12.14 or about 13 points net higher. Realizing caused reaction later with July closing at 12.07 but the general list closed steady 3 to 7 points higher.

Liverpool was a shade lower than due and the local market opened irregular four points lower to two points higher. Few May notices were in circulation, while trade interests were active buyers of both May and July and prices soon turned firmer. May sold up to 11.98 and October to 12.32 before the end of the morning or about 9 to 13 points net higher. This was the higher here since the advance of last month and about 28 points above the low level of April 3rd in the case of July. Reports from New Orleans indicated that notices for about 19,000 bales had been issued there. Notices issued here were estimated at less than 2,000 bales. Prices eased off several points from the best in the late trading with May closing at 11.90 and October at 12.25.

It was said that today's notices represented the smallest tenders ever made on a first May notice day here for years.

Closed steady.

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	11.78	11.98	11.77	11.90
July	11.97	12.14	11.96	12.06
October	12.23	12.32	12.23	12.25
December	12.40	12.48	12.40	12.43
January	12.45	12.57	12.45	12.51

Spot cotton steady; middling uplands 12.15; sales 700 bales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans — Middling, 11.88; receipts, 7,337; exports, 500; sales, 1,860; stock, 312,896.

Galveston—Middling, 12.35; receipts, 9,499; exports, 17,134; sales, 298; stock, 291,953.

Mobile—Middling, 11.81; receipts, 1,581; sales, 350; stock, 25,910.

Savannah—Middling, 11.88; receipts, 3,492; sales, 1,407; stock, 155,169.

Charleston—Middling, 11¾; receipts, 1,181; stock, 67,619.

Wilmington—Middling, 11½; receipts, 552; stock, 60,004.

Norfolk — Middling, 11.88; receipts, 783; exports, 348; sales, 526; stock, 101,482.

Baltimore—Stock, 6,100.

Boston—Middling, 12.05; receipts, 60; exports, 212; stock, 8,500.

Philadelphia—Middling, 12.40; stock, 2,311.

New York—Middling, 12.15; receipts, 50; exports, 2,000; sales, 700; stock, 249,148.

Minor Ports—Receipts, 4,615; exports, 4,406; stock, 45,542.

Total today—Receipts, 28,764; exports, 24,600; stock, 1,326,634.

Total for week—Receipts, 54,115; exports, 55,592.

Total for season—Receipts, 6,462,379; exports, 4,350,873.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Middling, 12.30; receipts, 2,615; shipments, 4,085; sales, 1,046; stock, 95,533.

Memphis — Middling, 12.00; receipts, 2,121; shipments, 4,632; sales, 1,350; stock, 193,737.

Augusta — Middling, 11.75; receipts, 103; shipments, 825; sales, 2,224; stock, 120,387.

St. Louis — Middling, 12.00; receipts, 6,547; shipments, 7,044; stock, 20,499.

Cincinnati — Receipts, 1,230; shipments, 946; stock, 17,568.

Little Rock — Middling, 12.25; receipts, 41; shipments, 2; sales, 2; stock, 32,083.

Dallas—Middling, 11.85.

Montgomery—Middling, 11.62; sales, 263.

Total today—Receipts, 13,357; shipments, 17,534; stock, 479,802.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, April 26. — Hogs—Strong; higher. Bulk, 9.80@9.95; light, 9.50@10.00; mixed, 9.60@10.00; heavy, 9.50@10.00; rough, 9.50@9.65; pigs, 7.40@9.25.

Cattle—Steady. Native beef steers, 8.00@10.00; stockers and feeders, 5.90@8.60; cows and heifers, 4.10@9.30; calves, 6.25@9.25.

Sheep — Wethers, 6.60@9.00; ewes, 5.00@8.75; lambs, 7.25@11.50.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, April 25. — Turpentine, dull, 42; sales, —; receipts, 378; shipments, 338; stock, 6,016.

Rosin—Steady. Sales, 7,37; receipts, 1,138; shipments, 2,536; stock, 65,508; quote: A, B, C, D, 4.00; E, 4.10; F, 4.25; G and H, 4.35; I, 4.40; K, 4.45; M, 4.60; N, 4.90; W G, 5.10; W W, 5.25.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, April 25. — Mercantile paper, 3@3¼; Sterling, sixty day bills, 4.73½; demand, 4.76¼; cables, 4.77 1-16; bar silver, 67¼; Mexican dollars, 51½. Government bonds, steady. Railroad bonds, strong. Time loans, firm; sixty days, 2¾@3; ninety days, 3; six months, 3¼. Call money, firm; ruling rate, 2½.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Firm Undertone in Market and Prices Make Fairly Wide Advance.

New Orleans, April 25.—Although May notices were issued in larger numbers than expected today, the cotton market took on a firm undertone and made a fairly wide advance. Conservative estimates were that the first notice day brought out tenders of 200,000 bales. Some estimates were as high as 240,000. All notices of delivery were promptly stopped, the taking up of cotton on contract being cheaper than buying in the open market. At the best of the day, active options showed advances over yesterday's close of 11 to 13 points. On the opening call the market was nervous and prices lost 1 to 8 points, May showing the widest decline. For a time it appeared May would be put under severe pressure, but the demand suddenly increased and after the call the market quickly worked to higher levels. Toward the close prices fell off under profit-taking. Last prices were at a net rise of 5 to 7 points.

Market closed steady. Closing bid: May 11.71; July 11.94; October 12.03; December 12.15; January 12.25.

Spot cotton closed steady, unchanged; sales on the spot 1,860 bales; to arrive, none; middling 11.88.

FRESH ADVANCE IN WHEAT

Caused by More Favorable Outlook for Avoiding Break With Germany and Poor Crop Conditions.

Chicago, April 25. — Growing confidence that the crisis with Germany would not cause a break in diplomatic relations had much to do with a fresh advance today in the value of wheat, and so, also, had stormy weather in the spring crop belt. Prices closed strong, 1¼@1⅝ to 2⅛c net higher, with May at 1.18⅝@⅞, and July at 1.14⅛@¼. Other leading staples, too, scored gains for the day, corn ¼ to ⅝; oats, ⅛@¼c. to ⅝c., and provisions 15 to 27½c.

Wheat—May, 1.37 3-8; July, 1.14 1-8.

Corn—May, 75⅞; July, 76⅝.

Oats—May, 44⅞; July, 42⅝.

Pork—May, 23.50; July, 23.50.

Lard—May, 12.55; July, 12.62.

Ribs—May, 12.62; July, 12.72.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.19½@1.20; No. 3, red, 1.11½@1.14⅝; No. 2, hard, 1.13½@1.14¼; No. 3, hard, 1.12.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 77¼; No. 4, yellow, 73@73½; No. 4, white, 73½@74½.

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Str. Cherokee, Bunnell, New York, C. J. Becker, agent.

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List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers

Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 3,288 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.) 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Ellen Little, 807 tons, Holden, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily, by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, April 25.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—41c.

ROSIN—Nominal.

TAR—$1.90-9c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.25, $3.25, $2.25.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 45c.; rosin, $3.00; tar, $1.70-8c.; crude turpentine, $3.00, $3.00, $1.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 9

Rosin 68

Tar 67

Crude Turpentine 14

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 8 casks; rosin, 58 barrels; tar, 74 barrels; crude turpentine, 6 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market — 11½c. Quotations, same day last year, 9¾c.

Receipts—463 bales; same day last year, 1,128 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 171,761 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 254,416 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 25.

Atlantic Coast Line—404 bales cotton; 30 barrels tar; 14 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—59 bales cotton.

River—9 casks spirits turpentine; 68 barrels rosin; 37 barrels tar.

Total—463 bales cotton; 9 casks spirits turpentine; 68 barrels rosin; 67 barrels tar; 14 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, April 25.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 55c. to 60c. per bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.00.

CORN—$1.75 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c; good demand.

PORK—Small, 8@10c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 17c.; first class, 23c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c; dry flint, 17@20c per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 18c.; sides and shoulders, 14c. to 15c. per pound, good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 40c. to 50c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head. Geese, 55c to 60c per head. Ducks, 35c to 50c owing to quality. Turkeys, 18c per lb., alive; 20c to 23c dressed.

EGGS—17c. to 18c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, April 25.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 70c; No. 1 machine picked, 65c per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Market steady; No. 1, small, machine picked, 30c; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., April 25.—Spanish—Farmers' stock. First quality, $1.00 per bu.; no offerings.

Virginias—Farmers' stock, market steady. Fancy Jumbo, 4c. per lb.; fancy hand picked, 3¾c. per lb.; extra prime, 3½c. per lb.; prime, 3¼c. per lb.; shelling stock, 2½c. to 3c. per lb.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 25. — Spot cotton, unchanged; good middling, 8.02; middling, 7.82; low middling, 7.58; sales, 6,000; for speculation and export, 1,000. Receipts, 21,000. Futures, quiet and steady. April, 7.63½; April-May, 7.61; May-June, 7.61½; June-July, 7.61; July-August, 7.60; August-September, 7.55½; September-October, 7.51 1-2; October-November, 7.48; November-December, 7.44½; December-January, 7.41½; January-February, 7.40; February-March, 7.41; March-April, 7.43; April-May, 7.42.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, April 25. — Sugar—Raw, firm; centrifugal, 6.39; molasses, 5.62; refined, firm.

Coffee—Spot, steady. Rio, No. 7, 9¾; Santos, No. 4, 10½.

Butter—Lower.

Cheese—Steady.

STOCKS QUOTATIONS RISE

On Possibility of Better External Relations of the Country—Marines Dominating Issues.

New York, April 25.—Wall Street's belief in the increasing betterment of the country's external relations led to a further advance in prices today, although some of this trading was forfeited in the final hour. Over-night unofficial advices from Berlin suggested a willingness from that quarter to grant concessions, but this was partly nullified by reports of grave disturbances in Ireland and indications of another disagreement in the British cabinet.

The market opened with another outburst of bullish enthusiasm and stampede of the shorts, active specialties advancing one to three points in the first hour and increasing this lead before midday. Free offerings were confidently absorbed until midday when the activity and advance came to a halt. Thereafter dealings dwindled and prices manifested some irregularity.

United States Steel advanced 1 1-2 points on rumors and an "extra" dividend by the directors, who were to meet after the close of the market. As it afterward developed, the steel board at no time considered the question of an additional disbursement, although it was admitted that the record earnings would have justified such action.

Mercantile Marines were the dominant issues, combined dealings in the preferred and common shares, at extreme advances of 3 1-2 and 1 7-8 points, respectively, comprising more than one-fifth of the total operations. War shares and affiliated specialties were 3 to 10 points higher at the best, but closed irregular on profit taking.

Rails in general were firm to strong, except New Haven, which fell 2 1-2 points on fairly large dealings. Total sales 900,000 shares.

Bonds were firm except the Anglo-French bonds. Sales, par value, 4,240,000. United States bonds unchanged.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	26¼
American Beet Sugar	67¾
American Can	56⅝
American Car and Foundry	59
American Cotton Oil	53½
American Locomotive	67½
American Smelting	98⅝
American Sugar	B.107
American Tel. and Tel	127⅞
American Tobacco	B. 19½
Anaconda Copper	82½
Atchison	102½
Atlantic Coast Line	B.107
Baldwin Locomotive	88¾
Baltimore and Ohio	84¼
Bethlehem Steel	439
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	84½
Canadian Pacific	166½
Central Leather	52⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio	59¼
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	92⅞
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	16¼
Consolidated Gas	133
Continental Can	82½
Crucible Steel	81⅜
Erie	34
General Electric	162
Great Northern, pfd	119¼
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	40
Illinois Central	100
Interborough Consol. Corp	16¼
Kansas City Southern	24½
Lehigh Valley	76
Louisville and Nashville	B.123
Liggett and Meyers	B.230
Lorillard Co	B.188
Missouri, Kansas and Tex, pfd	B. 10
Missouri Pacific	B. 3⅜
Mexican Petroleum	95⅝
National Lead	65
New York Central	102
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	58⅝
Norfolk and Western	120½
Northern Pacific	110½
Pennsylvania	56⅛
Reading	83⅞
Rep. Iron and Steel	46⅛
Seaboard Air Line	B. 14⅛
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	B. 34⅜
Sloss-Sheff. Steel and Iron	50
Studebaker Corporation	127⅝
Southern Pacific	95⅛
Southern Railway	19⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	57
Tennessee Copper	47⅝
Texas Co	185
Texas and Pacific	9
Union Pacific	130½
United States Rubber	52⅜
United States Steel	83⅜
United States Steel, pfd	116½
Utah Copper	80¼
Virginia Caro. Chem	39
Va. Iron, Coal and Coke	B 46
Wabash, Pfd., "B" Ctfs	25½
Western Union	90
Westinghouse Electric	57½
United Fruit	146½
Kennecott Copper	55½

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, April 25. — Active short covering and new buying for long account prompted by the pronounced strength in lard, put cotton oil higher early, but a set back occurred later under profit taking. Final prices were two points lower to six points net higher. Closed steady. Spot, 10.80 bid; April, 10.75@11.50; May, 10.84@10.86; June, 10.90@11.00; July, 11.08@11.09; August, 11.09@11.10; September, 10.97@10.98; October, 9.91@9.95; November, 9.16@9.18. Total sales, 19,600.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, April 25. — Beeves—No trading.

Calves—Barely steady.

Veals—$7.00@10.25.

Sheep and Lambs — Firm. Unshorn lambs, 11.25; clipped medium to fair, 9.35@9.50; medium sheep, 8.00@7.00; ordinary spring lambs, 6.50 per head.

Hogs—Steady; light to heavy, 9.25@10.25; roughs, 8.25@8.75.

ANOTHER YOUNG MAN REJECTED BY A GIRL COMMITS SUICIDE

Second Tragedy of the Kind in Lenoir County in a Week.

(Special Star Telegram).

Kinston, N. C., April 25.—The recent suicide near here of Joe Benton, who killed himself after being rejected by a young woman, was the incentive for James W. Arthur, aged 18, taking his own life in the LaGrange section, according to Coroner Eugene Wood. Arthur's body was found in some woods several miles from LaGrange today. By the corpse was a revolver of medium calibre.

It is supposed the suicide occurred after supper Monday, but the boy was not missed until today. He was the son of Mrs. I. B. Batts.

Neighborhood gossip connects a young woman with the death. Arthur is said to have remarked a day or two ago, upon hearing of Benton's death, "I'm in the same fix; I may as well put myself out of the way."

Coroner Wood will not reveal the girl's name. The coroner's jury based its verdict of suicide on the neighbors' statement. Arthur was a nice looking youth and bore a good reputation.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, April 25. — Cotton goods were quiet and firm today, with print cloths showing a tendency to harden. Drills, twills and sateens ruled very firm. Bleached cottons were quiet. Mohair goods for men's wear were bought for Spring, 1917. Silks were steady.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

April 26, 1916.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 60 degrees; at 8 P. M., 66 degrees; maximum, 74 degrees; minimum, 54 degrees; mean, 64 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.09 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 5.1 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Probably fair Wednesday and Thursday.

The Port Calendar, April 26, 1916.

Sun rises .. ..5:28 A. M.

Sun sets .. ..6:52 P. M.

Day's length .. ..13 hrs. 24 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	4:54	5:19	12:12	12:00
Southport	2:41	3:22	9:13	9:38
Masonboro Inl	2:30	3:11	8:53	9:18

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

April 25, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P.M.
Abilene	cldy	84	54	.0
Asheville	clear	65	42	.06
Atlanta	clear	66	48	.0
Augusta	clear	74	52	.0
Baltimore	pt cldy	50	—	.40
Bir'ham	clear	70	48	.0
Boston	cldy	58	40	.0
Charles'n	clear	76	56	.0
Charlotte	clear	66	50	.01
Chicago	clear	52	42	.06
Galveston	clear	76	66	.0
Jacks'ville	clear	82	60	.0
Memphis	cldy	70	62	.0
Mobile	clear	76	63	.0
Montgomery	clear	72	56	.0
New Orl.	clear	78	66	.0
N. York	raining	52	42	.02
Oklahoma	raining	64	52	.72
Palestine	pt cldy	80	58	.0
Pittsburg	cldy	54	44	.0
Raleigh	clear	66	50	.04
Savannah	clear	78	58	.0
Shreveport	pt cldy	78	56	.0
St. Louis	cldy	64	50	.02
Washington	clear	50	50	.64

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The undersigned having qualified as Executor of the Estate of Albert Rollie Cowan, deceased, late of the County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, at Wilmington, N. C., at the office of the American Bank & Trust Company, on or before April 17th, 1917, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons that are indebted to the Estate will please make immediate adjustment.

The day and year herein above written.

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NOTICE

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No. 51. 5:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. 11:59 P.M. Daily.
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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect November 15, 1915.

WINTER PARK, WRIGHTSVILLE WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS

EASTBOUND			WESTBOUND		
Leave Front and for Winter Park	Leave Front and for Wrightsville	Leave... Front and for Beach	Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington
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a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:26 A. M.	a6:16 A. M.	.....
6:55 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.	a7:26 A. M.	a7:26 A. M.	.....
a8:00 A. M.	a8:00 A. M.	.....	8:01 A. M.	7:50 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
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10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	a10:31 A. M.	b10:20 A. M.	.....
11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:06 A. M.	10:56 A. M.	10:46 A. M.
b1:00 P. M.	b1:00 P. M.	b1:00 P. M.	12:36 P. M.	12:26 P. M.	12:16 P. M.
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N. C. NEGROES PROMISE TROUBLE AT CHICAGO

Will Send Delegates to Republican National Convention

Will Contest for Seats—Great Musical Event in Raleigh—Calvert Replies to Farmers—Guard for Negro's Trial.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—The negro Republican party of North Carolina, the head and front of which is represented by S. H. Vick, Wilson; J. E. Hamlin, Raleigh, and Rev. R. H. W. Leak, of Raleigh, has just perfected organization here and named delegates to the National Republican convention at Chicago where they will contest for a share of the representation along with the delegates named by the regular State organization of the white Republican party.

Resolutions adopted denounce the attitude of the "lily white" Republicans in ignoring the claims of the negroes to participation in the councils and representation of the party. A lively fight that promises much humiliation for the white delegation at Chicago is promised.

The authorities of Central Hospital for the Insane here are searching for two escaped patients who got away from the hospital Easter Monday afternoon. They are Oscar Benton and A. E. Pearsall, neither of whom is considered dangerously insane. They have been traced in the direction of Fayetteville.

Raleigh's big May festival, the most stupendous musical event this city has ever attempted and one scarcely ever equalled in the State is making splendid progress in the preliminary arrangements and a music festival of epoch-making propositions is assured for the city auditorium May 4 and 5 with such famous musicians as Freida Hempel, Flora Perini, Pasquale Amato Giacomo Damacco and eHnri Scotti as special stars, with a great orchestra and local chorus under the direction of Gustav Hagedorn and Richard Hageman. Music lovers from every section of the State are indicating their purpose to attend and numbers of the best musicians of the State will be here to take part in the great chorus, which will be almost State-wide in the scope of its representation.

An especially brilliant social affair for Easter Monday night was the biennial conclave of the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity. There were nearly a half hundred members here from North and South Carolina and the features were a business meeting in the early evening followed by dinner at the Yarborough and a dance in the city auditorium under the leadership of R. M. Gantt, of Durham.

Assistant Attorney General T. H. Calvert, as candidate for the office of attorney general, has replied to the official inquiry of the North Carolina Farmers' Union made of all candidates as to their attitude toward race segregation, farm credits, taxation policies, and various other issues of public policy that the Union favors.

Mr. Calvert writes Secretary E. C. Fairis, of the Union, that the office of attorney general is given principally to representing the State in special litigation and advising the State departments on legal questions and that he has not studied the questions submitted fully enough to give "thought-out" opinions of them; that he has given much thought and study to construction of constitutions and statutes and will be glad to give whatever assistance he can in the preparation of any bills the representatives of the Union may desire to offer to the Legislature for enactment in the event he is elected to the office of attorney general.

Governor Craig and Adjutant General Laurence W. Young are preparing to detail one and possible two or three military companies of the North Carolina National Guard to go as a special guard for Willie Black, the Greene county negro, when he is taken back to Greene from the penitentiary in June to be tried for criminal assault on a six-year-old white child.

Judge Whedbee has been assigned to hold the special court to try the negro and he has expressed himself as desiring that military guard of ample proportions shall be provided. The Raleigh company and possibly one or more of the companies nearest Snow Hill, the county seat, will be detailed for this service, in all probability.

GOES TO EL PASO, TEXAS.

Rev. W. M. Fairley Leaves Fayetteville First Presbyterian Church.

Fayetteville, N. C., April 25. — Rev. Watson M. Fairley, for many years pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, and Mrs. Fairley left here this afternoon for El Paso, Tex., where Rev. Mr. Fairley will assume his duties as pastor of Westminister Presbyterian church, to which he was recently called. Noting their departure, the Observer says:

"The community sincerely regrets to see these good people leave Fayetteville, and First Presbyterian church will especially experience a heavy loss. Mr. Fairley was born and reared in Cumberland county ,and this fact and his sterling Scotch make-up and "the mon of him" have endeared him to the community, but besides he is a consecrated, faithful servant of the Master and as such is loved by many. Mrs. Fairley, a typical pastor's wife, is highly esteemed and loved in Fayetteville, and there are sad hearts at her departure."

ANNUAL INSPECTION MADE.

Of Brunswick County Home and Jail by Board of Visitors.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., April 25.—The board of visitors appointed made its annual inspection today of the county home and jail, County Physician J. A. Dosher taking the party in his car to the home, which is a few miles north of here. The board has the following personnel: Dr. D. I. Watson, W. H. Pyke, Mrs. C. Ed Taylor, Miss Carrie Dosher.

FOR MAYOR OF FAIRMON T

E. Fisher Nominated in Primary—Commissioners Selected.

(Special Star Telegram).

Fairmont, N. C., April 25.—In the town primary held in Fairmont last night, E. Fisher was nominated for mayor over E. V. McDaniel, 72 to 58. Nine candidates were in the race for commissioners, A. J. Floyd, Dr. F. H. Pittman, A. N. Mitchell and A. L. Jones were nominated. A large per cent of the registered vote was cast and much interest shown

REPUBLICAN METHODS DENOUNCED BY JOYNER

Misleading Statements Issued as to School Funds

State Superintendent Thinks It is Next to Criminal to Try to Lead People to Think Too Much is Spent for Education.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner issued a statement today in denunciation of Republican politicians who are attempting to use State public school statistics, misinterpreted, for political gain, Dr. Joyner's insistance being that it is almost criminal to mislead people into thinking they are spending too much instead of too little for their schools.

He insists Democracy may well be proud of the money spent for schools.

Figures are given that show the State's great educational progress and also necessity for spending much more before a really creditable high rank among the states of the Union is attained. He believes such attempts as Republican politicians are making will receive condemnation and just rebuke, from honest, patriotic citizens of the State.

The statement is especially for the benefit of the Democratic State convention, to convene Thursday, with assurances that it will be one of the biggest and most enthusiastic in the history of the party.

CHAPMAN-ALEXANDER PARTY TO VISIT SOUTHPORT MONDAY?

Union Revival Services Arousing Great Interest in the Town.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., April 25. — The Union revival services, under the leadership of Rev. C. L. Evarts, assisted by the ministers of all the local churches, continue with inspiring spiritual results. Sunday afternoon there was a large gathering for "men only" and this afternoon the gathering for "women only," both being full of interest.

The night services are made up very largely of songs, there being the adult choir of male and female voices, and what is called the "Sunshine Choir," of children, these with the congregation, being variously employed by the evangelist, singly and in chorus. At nearly every service there are solos or duets.

In addition to the organization of work entered upon, there is the request made this week that all business houses in the city close daily, except Saturday, between the hours of 3:30 and 4:00 P. M., and at night, 8 to 9 o'clock. To this there was a united response, which included the Amuzu, moving picture show, which closes for the week, thus indicating the local desire to forward and assist the revival work.

Next Monday the program is for a visit of the leaders of the Chapman-Alexander party from Wilmington to Southport, a morning service and night service, the afternoon being given to a service to the soldiers at Fort Caswell. The party will come on the yacht of Dr. James Sprunt.

BLADEN ENDORSES SINCLAIR

Democratic County Convention Adopts Resolution.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Elizabethtown, N. C., April 25.—Following is the resolution adopted by the Democrats in convention here Saturday, endorsing the candidacy of Hon. N. A. Sinclair for attorney general:

"The Bladen county Democratic convention presents and endorses Hon. N. A. Sinclair as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for attorney general.

"Neill Angus Sinclair was born in Cumberland county and was educated at the University of North Carolina. Of marked ability as a lawyer and advocate, he has for many years been recognized as a leader at the bar of his State. He has represented the county of Cumberland as its senator and for eight years was solicitor of the Seventh judicial district, then comprising the counties of Brunswick, Columbus Bladen, Hoke, Cumberland and Robeson, and refused to allow his name to be presented for renomination.

"His fitness for the high office of attorney general is unquestioned, and he has already received the endorsement of every bar in the Ninth judicial district and other counties.

"Being fully conscious and appreciative of his intellect and culture, his fitness to serve and represent our State in this capacity, and his high character as a citizen and a man, we unqualifiedly endorse him."

PULLMAN SERVICE WANTED.

Goldsboro Takes Steps to Have Car Operated from Raleigh.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., April 25.—The Goldsboro chamber of commerce, through Attorney Mat. H. Allen, has filed with the Corporation Commission complaint against the Southern Railway for the operation of Pullman service from Greensboro to Goldsboro and for the extention of passenger trains Nos. 108 and 131 to Goldsboro. Trains 108 and 131 were removed from service some time ago by the Southern Railway and it is the belief of the Goldsboro chamber of commerce that the passenger traffic between Greensboro, Durham, Raleigh and Goldsboro is now sufficient for the re-establishment of these trains.

For several years the Southern Railway has operated a Pullman sleeping car from Greensboro to Raleigh. This train leaves Greensboro about 1 o'clock at night and arrives in Raleigh at 4:20 in the morning. Therefore a passenger destined to Goldsboro and to points on the Norfolk Southern and Atlantic Coast Line must leave the train at this early hour or sit up all night or remain over in Raleigh until midday.

COTTON COMPRESS BURNS

Several Thousand Bales and Twelve Box Cars Destroyed With Plant.

Decatur, Ala., April 25.—The cotton compress of the Gulf Compress Company was destroyed here this afternoon by a fire that originated from a spark from the chimney of a nearby negro cabin. The compress and between 10,000 and 13,000 bales of cotton and 12 freight cars were destroyed, the loss being estimated at about $1,000,000.

The fire company was unable to check the progress of the fire, but kept it confined to the immense plant, where it practically burned itself out. The compress was one of the largest in this section of the South, compressing annually about 125,000 bales of cotton. Officers of the company said the loss was only partyl covered by insurance.

HERE'S THE LINE-UP FOR PRIMARY IN JUNE

List of Candidates For State Offices and Congress

Several Democratic Entries for Each Office; Usually Only One Republican—Certified by State Election Board.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 25.—The State Board of Elections has certified the complete list of entries, Democratic and Republican, for the State-wide primaries to be held June 3, the campaigning for which will be in full swing from now until that date, with numbers of Democratic candidates for every one of the offices for which nominations are to be made and with but one Republican for each, except in one or two instances. The entries for State offices and for Congress follow:

Governor—Thomas W. Bickett and E. L. Daughtridge, Democrats, and Frank A. Linney, Republican.

Lieutenant Governor—O. Max Gardner, Democrat; L. L. Jenkins, Asheville, Republican.

Secretary of State—Col. J. Bryan Grimes, Grimesland; Haywood Clark, Wilmington, and J. A. Hartness, Statesville, Democrats; Robert L. Strowd, Chapel Hill, Republican.

State Auditor—W. P. Wood, Ashboro, Democrat; John Q. A. Wood, Elizabeth City, Republican.

State Treasurer—B. R. Lacy, Raleigh; J. S. Mann, Middletown, Democrats; Robert W. Harris, Dillsboro, Republican.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—J. Y. Joyner, Raleigh, Democrat; Clarence R. Pugh, Elizabeth City, Republican.

Attorney General—Thomas H. Calvert, Raleigh; Edmund Jones, Lenoir; J. S. Manning, Raleigh, and N. A. Sinclair, Fayetteville, Democrats, and John J. Parker, Republican.

Member Corporation Commission—D. L. Boyd, Waynesville; William T. Lee, Waynesville, Democrats; Henry J. Faison, of Faison, Republican.

Commissioner of Labor and Printing—David P. Dellinger, Cherryville, and Mitchell Lee Shipman, Hendersonville, Democrats; W. James Jordan, Snow Hill, Republican.

Commissioner of Agriculture—W. A. Graham, Lincolnton; Samuel H. Hobbs, Clinton, and A. J. McKinnon, Maxton, Democrats; Alfred L. French, Draper, Republican.

Insurance Commissioner—James R. Young, Raleigh; C. T. McClenaghan, Raleigh, Democrats; John W. Harden, Raleigh, Republican.

Candidates for Congress.

Congress, First District—John H. Small, Washington, Democrat; Leslie E. Jones, Swan Quarter, Republican.

Second District—Claude Kitchin, Scotland Neck and Clingman W. Mitchell, Aulander, Democrats; W. O. Dixon, Hookerton, Republican.

Third District—George E. Hood, Goldsboro, Democrat; George E. Butler, Clinton, Republican.

Fourth District—Edward W. Pou, Smithfield, Democrat; Joseph J. Jenkins, Siler City, Republican.

Fifth District—Charles M. Stedman, Democrat; Gilliam Grissom, Republican.

Sixth district—J. A. Brown, Chadbourn; H. L. Godwin, Dunn; Joseph W. Little, Wilmington; Q. K. Nimocks, Fayetteville, and E. F. Young, Dunn, Democrats, and Alexander L. McCaskill, Fayetteville, Republican.

Seventh District—T. B. Finley, Wilkesboro; Leonidas D. Robinson, Wadesboro; U. L. Spence, Carthage; Henry B. Varner, Lexington, Democrats; Presley E. Brown, Wilkesboro, Republican.

Eighth District—Robert L. Doughton, Laurel Springs, Democrat; H. C. Williams, Concord, Republican.

Ninth District—E. Y. Webb, Shelby, Democrat; Charles E. Greene, Bakerville, and Jake F. Newell, Charlotte, Republicans.

Tenth District—Sol. Gallert, Rutherfordton; Frank R. Hewett, Willets; M. H. Justice, Rutherfordton; Zebulon Weaver, Asheville, Democrats; James J. Britt, Asheville, Republican.

BANKER KILLED BY TRAIN.

E. P. Hyman Decapitated and Mangled Body Dragged 20 Feet.

Tarboro, N. C., April 25. — Yesterday afternoon about 6 o'clock, while the local shifter was shifting cars at Hobgood, E. P. Hyman, cashier of the Bank of Hobgood, was struck by a car and his head was literally torn from his body.

Just how the accident occurred no one could tell. Mr. Hyman spoke to some friends, walked up the spur track back of the passenger station about 15 feet from the crossing and attempted to cross the track. His body was dragged about 20 feet and badly mangled. Mr. Hyman was about 60 years of age and an active member of the Methodist church. A wife, four daughters and two sons survive.

SHIPPING FROM MT. OLIVE

Shortage of Strawberry Crop is Threatened by Dry Weather.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Mount Olive, N. C., April 25.—The strawberry season opened here Saturday with a shipment of four crates, one of which was sold on the local market for $9, the other three bringing about $7. Monday the shipments amounted to 59 crates, with prices ranging around $5.

The farmers say that, if the present dry weather continues a few days longer, the yield will be considerably shortened and that the berries will of necessity be of an inferior quality.

RADIO STATION GUARDED.

United States Military Authorities at San Juan Refuse to Tell Reason.

San Juan, Porto Rico, April 25. — A military guard has been placed on the United States wireless station here for reasons the authorities refuse to divulge. A report that dynamite had been found at the station is denied.

FOR TIRED SCHOOL CHILDREN

Boys and girls who have been bending over their desks for weeks and months, and often studying at home late into the night, get into a weak, nervous, run-down condition, and wise mothers will take the advice of our local druggist, Robert R. Bellamy, and give such children Vinol, because it is a non-secret preparation which contains the three oldest tonics known, and is guaranteed to strengthen and restore health to weak, overworked, run-down people, and to cure chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis, or you can get your money back.

Says Woman's Beauty Depends Upon Health

Health and Vigor Necessitate Regulation of Organs of Elimination.

Skin foods and face creams and powders cannot make a woman beautiful, because beauty lies deeper than that—it depends on health. In most cases the basis of health and the cause of sickness can be traced to the action of the bowels.

The headache, the lassitude, the sallow skin, and the lusterless eyes are usually caused by constipation. An ideal remedy for women, and one that is especially suited to their delicate organisms, is found in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a mild laxative compound, pleasant to the taste and free from opiates and narcotic drugs of every description. Mrs. Gertrude Jordan, 522 North Liberty St., Indianapolis, Ind., says: "It is simply fine; I have never been able to find anything to compare with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I started using it for the baby and now it is my family standby in all cases where a laxative is needed."

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is sold in drug stores for fifty cents a bottle; a trial bottle can be obtained, free of charge, by writing to Dr W. B. Caldwell, 454 Washington, St., Monticello, Illinois.

MRS. GERTRUDE JORDAN

COMMENCEMENT AT WARSAW

Featured by Address by Prof. Hubert M. Poteat—Sermon by Rev. F. T. Collins.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., April 25.—The commencement exercises of the Warsaw high school began Sunday with the annual commencement sermon, which was preached by Rev. Fred T. Collins, pastor of the Baptist church of Clinton. Mr. Collins spoke earnestly but simply, to a very large audience, composed partly of the pupils of the school, who attended in a body, the subject of his sermon being, "The Requisites of a Perfect Man."

Monday morning at half past ten o'clock, the graduating exercises took place. Those reading essays, and their subjects were: Walker Stevens, "Prosperity and Patriotism"; Florence Blackmore, an original story, entitled, "Thanksgiving Plans"; Annie Garner, "Public Education in North Carolina"; Hulda Best, "English Constitutional History"; Margaret Barden, "Passion Play"; Brookie May Hines, "Education of a Child"; Helen Fonveille, "Birth of a Nation". All the papers reflected the care and study expended in their composition, and those reading them acquitted themselves with credit. The original story by Florence Blackmore was a gem of fiction. The certificate graduates who had also prepared excellent compositions were Misses Lenora Womack, Kathleen Powell, Amelia Boyette and Messrs. Kit James and G. S. Best.

Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the recital by Miss Hines' music class occurred in the school auditorium. This consisted of piano solos, duets and choruses, all of which were well rendered and displayed the thorough training the pupils had received.

A feature of the evening exercises was the literary address by Dr. Hubert Poteat, of Wake Forest College, who had already, as expressed by Hon. R. D. Johnson in his introduction, "sung himself into the hearts of his hearers," and who also "spoke himself into the hearts of his audience." Dr. Poteat's subject was "The Profession of Good Citizenship." He handled it ably and forcefully, stressing the importance of a college education as essential to the best citizenship.

The certificates and diplomas were presented to the graduating class by Prof. B. C. Siske, principal of the school, with a few well chosen words of admonition and encouragement.

AT 15 CENTS PER QUART.

Season's First Strawberries on Market at Warsaw—Shipments Soon.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, April 25. — The first strawberries of the season appeared on the local market Monday and sold for fifteen cents per quart. They were brought in by Jim Shaw, a negro. By the last of the week shipments will be made to Northern markets.

In spite of the late spring and cold weather, early vegetables are well advanced in growth, and with the arrival of much-needed rain, trucking products would soon be ready for market.

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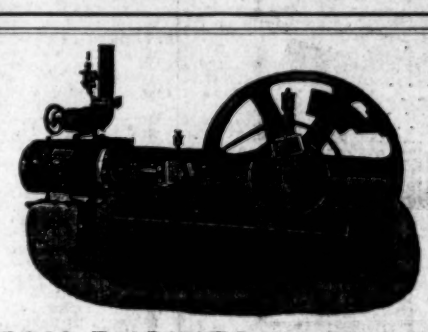

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